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JOSEPH S. OSBORNE,

Town Clerk.

East-Hampton, N. Y., November 13th, 1889.

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PREFACE.

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INTRODUCTION.

The events of the century covered by this volume of the records are noticed in newspapers, magazines, histories and laws. They are perpetuated in the memorials of courts, of churches, of cities. They are recorded in cemeteries on the headstones of graves and in enduring monumental structures. The rude currency of coin or paper that circulated tells of Finance. The ponderous furniture tells of honest mechanism. The massive chimney and fireplace of the abounding forest, the wide oven's mouth of abounding sustenance, "the moss-covered bucket that hung in the well" of simple tastes, the tinder box and steel of rude invention, the tallow dip candle of limited discovery. The spinning wheel, large and small, sung the song of industry. The reel and swifts, the hatchel and crackle, the shuttle and loom told the tale of household manufacture. The trencher and keeler and pipkin and piggin and noggin revealed the prevailing frugality of home life and paucity of foreign manufactures. The powder horn and shot bag, the old king's arm and the old flint lock tell of an age fled forever. These memorials of the early and even the later years covered by this volume, had but just gone out of practical use at its close. No introduction can minutely remind the reader of the many events occurring in this hundred and fifteen years. The stream of history runs rapid. Like the descending current of a mighty river we get a glimpse of some cliff, some bank, and are swiftly borne to another elevation; to some other point, or other view. Change follows change, scene succeeds scene until the objects multiply indefinitely and swiftly obscure each other by their multitude. Although this volume reaches to the age of steamboats, of friction matches and the beginning of anthracite coal and

railway travel, yet it does not reach or far extend beyond the time when the sickle and scythe had fallen before the conquering march of the reaping and mowing machines, when the horse rake had superceded the handrake; when the horse power was threshing the grain, which by the human arm had been slowly pounded out with the flail; when ocean steamers chased the surging billow from the shore of one continent to another; when petroleum had come to light the world; when the telegraph and telephone had the ear of man. Hard, grinding labor still laid his exacting hand upon the masses of mankind and claimed them for his own. The wood that warmed, the whale oil lamp or tallow candle that lighted the homes of this fair land, the food that fed the household, the coarse homespun garments that protected the person from cold in winter and unseemly exposure in summer, were obtained at the cost of almost unceasing toil. The range of the newspaper, how narrow; the time and ability of the masses to purchase and read its issues how limited! Human comfort, instruction and culture were rare and costly. The gifted and resolute and ambitious overcame. The weak, the undecided, the unsusceptive overcame not.

The wars of England with Spain began Oct. 23d, 1739, her war with France commencing in 1744, in which Louisburgh was captured in 1745, her later French and Indian war begun in 1755, the wars with England, of the Revolution, and of 1812 all pour their ensanguined tide in the historic stream running through this volume.

ALLOTTMENT OF LANDS.

The preference for individual over joint and common improvement of undivided lands is often and clearly shown in this volume. Long before its close the last allotment of undivided lands within the town purchase had been made. They were all made to the commonage owners according to their several interest and amount of acreage therein. They

were all based upon the equitable ownership and acreage of commonage held by individuals entitled thereto. They were called ten, five or three acre divisions according to the number of acres of undivided lands allotted to each acre of commonage. These divisions and all of them were made as to individuals of right ; as such entitled to individual, and varying proportions and in no respect made as of corporate or town property. History clearly shows and the facts show this even if judges or courts decide otherwise. By the patent of Dongan, lands "not appropriated to any particular person or persons" were confined to "such as have been purchasers thereof and their heirs and assigns forever in proportion to their several and respective purchases thereof made as tenants in common," &c. The allotments followed this language of the Patent, (See Vol. II, p. 193), and never proceeded on the theory that the undivided lands were town or corporate property, but always individual undivided property owned by the *purchasers thereof in proportion to their several purchases.*

David Gardiner, lawyer, statesman and historian, the accomplished author of the "Chronicles of East-Hampton," than whom no better authority can be cited, takes this view of the construction of the Patent in the Chronicles, p. 67, and on page 40, declares "the lands which still remain undivided were not considered of much value. They are all held in tenancy in common and are subject yet to allotment among the heirs or assigns of the original purchasers whenever any of them may require it"—and see introduction to Vol. I of Records, p. 10 and 11, and introduction to Vol. II of Records, pp. 5, 8, 9. In the 49 lots made and drawn for June 4th, 1736, called the ten acre division because ten acres of land was allotted to one acre of commonage, and in all subsequent and preceding divisions, this acreage of commonage was the measure and gave name and amount to the lands divided. The divisions recorded in this volume are nearly as follows :

Ten acre division, June 4th, 1736, p. 17 to 27, a little over 7,000 acres.

Five acre division, Feb. 6th, 1739-40, p. 64 to 81, a little over 31,00 acres.

Five acre addition, Feb. 6th, 1739-40, p. 86 to 96, a little short 600 acres.

2d five acre division, Feb. 6th, 1739-40, p. 96 to 110, a little over 2,800 acres.

Three acre division, March 30, 1747, p. 138 to 160, a little short 1,800.

Thus over 15,000 acres were allotted in the years commencing in 1736 and ending in 1747, when the last called, the three acre division, was made. Efforts since made to complete and perpetuate the list of commonage owners by committees thereto appointed have been unavailing, and the town Trustees seem to have claimed title to all the yet undivided lands in the town purchase, the value whereof was reckoned so small as to create little or no opposition or adverse claim. (pp. 82, 305, 308, 312.)

MARKS.

A large portion of the wealth and means of subsistence of the people of the town consisted in their cattle, sheep and horses. They were chiefly pastured on the peninsula of Montauk where were kept some 2,000 cattle, 3,000 sheep, and many horses. Necessity required the ownership to be designated by ear marks, and hence these, like trade marks having value, became a species of property, the subject of town record. Among the first gifts of parents to sons was an ear mark entered of record.

Montauk was some ten miles long, contained from 9,000 to 10,000 acres, was well watered, well adapted to pasturage, required little fence, and was desired as a valuable acquisition to the town territory at an early date. In 1658 an agreement with the Indians was made to secure the pasturage. In

1660 and 1661, after the overthrow of the Montauks by the Narragansetts, and the flight for refuge at East-Hampton, title was acquired to the "Hither End." In 1670 title was acquired to a tract between Fort Pond and Great Pond. In 1686 the remainder was acquired, subject to certain reservations and Indian rights. It was a valuable addition to the agricultural value of the town territory. Its improvement was regulated by a system of rules appropriate, and so peculiar that Chancellor Sandford, a proprietor, declared his inability to understand them. It remained undivided, and owned chiefly by the farmers of East-Hampton and Bridge-Hampton, until the year 1879, when by partition sale it passed to the purchaser and present owner, Arthur W. Benson.

LEGISLATION.

The reader of these records will not fail to see the legislative power actively working in town meetings, in the meetings of the proprietors of the undivided lands, in the meetings of the proprietors of Montauk, and of the Trustees of the town. As late as 1751 the town was infested with wild cats and an ordinance thereof fixed a bounty to be paid as a premium for their destruction, (see pp. 167-176.) The scope of legislation was wide, varied, penal, permissive, prohibitory, and embraced within its sphere both church and state. Trespass on the undivided lands at home, at Napeague or Montauk, was restrained, (pp. 255-262, &c.) Non-residents of the town were subject to a penalty for taking eels, fish or clams within its waters, (pp. 248-266, &c.)

The pews, not heretofore hired, about 1799 were rented, (p.309, &c.) The tything men were chosen to preserve order in the church, especially among the irrepressible youth, (pp. 320-320, &c.) The town meeting fixed the minister's salary, (320-325) defined the seats for singers, (320-335) chose the chorister and his assistants. The vote of 1302 directing that "Joseph Dimon be principal chorister and David Talmage 3d,

David Sherril, David Hedges, Jr. and Isaac Dimon, Jr., be assistant choristers," seems like modern history to those who yet remember the same, and the melodious and mysterious pitch-pipe used by the principal chorister, who fairly earned the Sunday dinner voted him, (pp. 396-402.)

In 1785, in the excitement of the moment probably, over the loss of many sheep, and moved by the indignant eloquence of some sufferer, the good people of the town voted "that all the dogs in the town be immediately killed," p. 247. Yet notwithstanding the narrowness shown in legislating to prohibit the export of clams, the fiery excitement expressed in the resolve that all dogs be "immediately killed," the invasion of the sphere of church action in choosing "tything men" and "choristers" and "singers' seats," and renting pews and fixing the minister's salary, in the main ends sought the legislation was appropriate, effective, judicious and of itself a school of instruction. We learn to swim by swimming, and as truly to legislate by legislating.

In all these records the action of the town as a *unit* by vote to enact, to execute and enforce laws, stand out in bold relief. Self-government thus began, thus progressed, thus learned to act by acting, to govern by governing, until every town in this country contained within itself the indestructible elements that grew into national union and independence. If the aggregation of our population in cities shall continue, if in place of government by towns be substituted the government by counties and cities by boards of Supervisors and boards of Aldermen, if the governing power be removed from the people in towns and delegated to Councils and Boards as is now being done it may be questioned whether the people are thereby best educated for self-government. The diminishing power of rural life and the overshadowing power of city life in legislation is yet to be proved for the perpetuity of Freedom.

THE REVOLUTION.

After the Battle of Long Island, 28th August, 1776, East-Hampton and all the Island fell within the lines of British occupation and under that rule. The records would be open to inspection and all expressions therein hostile to the royal power would incur the censure of the military authorities. Those occurring before would naturally be concealed or erased. Thereafter, until November 25th, 1783, when New-York was evacuated, none would be permitted. Hence the absence on the records of such allusions. Yet we know by the records of the Provincial and Continental Congress, and other sources, that the freemen of this town unanimously advocated the patriot cause, sustained and sympathised with their countrymen in Boston and elsewhere, fought for their liberties on land and sea, the most active in the Revolution sometimes taking refuge in the continental army or the towns in Connecticut, and thence sometimes as privateers contributing gallantly to the cause of freedom. East-Hampton nurtured no Tory and no drop of Tory blood, (see Onderdonk's *Rev. Incidents of Suffolk Co.*, pp. 14, 19, 20, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 43, 45, 46, 47, 48, &c.)

The presence of the portion of the British forces quartered in Sag-Harbor and the Hamptons was a standing menace, their conduct exasperating, their language provoking, their incessant pillaging a burden, their insults a trial, their brutality a grievance. The people of East-Hampton, not without cause, held them in utter loathing and abhorrence. The discipline and conduct of the officers and men on the fleet in Gardiner's Bay was more respectful. Between the people and them visits were exchanged and social civilities were not unfrequent. At Col. Abraham Gardiner's a company of the officers of the British fleet on one occasion dined, there meeting some young ladies of East-Hampton. Until recently one of the two large black walnut tables on which the provision

was laid, was retained in use. There is a tradition that the carver at this dinner asked the ladies to what they would be helped. The first one asked replied "a wing." The others, in unthoughtful diffidence, continued to answer "a wing," until the carver seeing the supply short of the demand, said, "Madam, you will please understand that the fowl is not all wings." That was the age of the Eagle, this of the Dove. The sweet peace with soft wings that now reigns would not reign had that age nurtured no resolute, fiery and masterful souls. The spirit of Cromwell and his avenging Ironsides lived in the Revolutionary regiments, panted for the field of conflict, exulted in the fight for freedom, shouted its battle cry—Independence. If the way to freedom was laid only through war, who shall say that their wrath was wrong and that being angry they sinned, or that their avenging justice was not a baptism from on high? Thank God that no weak sentiment, no illusive hope, no deceitful promise unnerved their arm or stayed their march, until they stood on the mount of Independence in the citadel of Freedom.

CHRONOLOGY.

In 1752, by act of Parliament, eleven days were dropped between the 2d and 14th of September, and the year was to commence Jan. 1st and not March 25th, as before. In reducing old style to this new style add ten days from 1500 to 1700 and eleven days from 1700 to 1752. March in old style was the 1st and June the 4th month, &c. In writing the year 17⁵²₅₃, or other years preceding or succeeding, the bottom figures represent the actual year as we reckon and the only figures to be read.

GARDINER'S ISLAND.

Gardiner's Island was originally an independent Manor or Lordship whose proprietor had power to hold courts and maintain authority over his territory, by grant from royal authority. When Gov. Dongan, in 1686, proposed to annex this

Island to the town of East-Hampton the remonstrance of the proprietor availed to prevent it and a confirmatory patent, from the Governor continued his title and rights to his Lordship. By act of the Senate and Assembly of New-York, passed 7th March, 1788, it was annexed probably without opposition to this town. The Manorial and Lordship incidents conferred by royal patent fell with the royal authority at the revolution and the ancient inheritance from Lion Gardiner became a part of the great Republic and its proprietors, descendants of his honored stock, ardent advocates of the free institutions of their country.

This volume commences some twelve years before minister Huntting vacated the pulpit, and nineteen years before he was laid in his grave. He was mild in manner, social in disposition, kind of heart, generous in feeling, profound in scholarship, logical in argument, dignified in demeanor, retiring in deportment, consecrated to the great work of the ministry; and in the warmth of his affection, the wealth of his tenderness, the sensibility of his soul, a fitting friend and guide to his people. He died Sept. 21st, 1753, some seven years after he had resigned the active duties of the pastoral relation in which he had served the Master fifty years.

This volume covers the whole fifty-two years of the ministry of Samuel Buell, D. D., from Sept. 19th, 1746, when he was installed, to July 19th, 1798, when he died. Ardent, earnest, imaginative, active, shrewd, positive, social, hospitable, cheerful, observing, magnetic within and without the pulpit, he was a living force long impressed upon the church and people of this town. He enlarged their views, elevated their thoughts, purified their purposes, inspired to intellectual culture, to more thorough education, to higher devotion of the heart, to nobler ends in life. His fervent eloquence, his sparkling wit, his wide learning, his genial manners, his ready repartee, his hunting feats, his fearless riding, his indomitable

energy, his flow of anecdote, and variety of experience—all these are historic. But for him Clinton Academy had not been.

Lyman Beecher, D. D., of world-wide fame, successor of Minister Buel, and preaching here soon after his decease, was ordained over the church, Sept. 5th, 1799, and remained until 1811. At this time in East-Hampton were many gifted men, thoughtful, inquiring, well read, argumentative, logical, of powerful mind, some of whom were his near neighbors. Of this number were Abraham Parsons, Town Clerk, Justice and School Teacher, Jonathan S. Conkling, afterwards state Senator and first Judge of the County; Abel Huntington, M. D., Jonathan Dayton, David Gardiner, David Hedges, Jr., and others with whom Beecher often conversed and argued on questions connected with his sermons. The writer has been told that Beecher thus arguing sometimes met nearly if not quite his match, and in later life attributed his facility in debate and illustration to this early experience.

This volume extends over the ministry of the grave, sedate and learned Ebenezer Phillips, ordained 5th May, 1811, resigned March 16th, 1830. In the utterance of admonition Phillips was unexcelled. On a Sabbath morning, after two Deacons of his church had engaged in a contest at law, he read for the morning lesson Chap. 6 of 1st Corinthians, commencing, "Dare any of you having a matter against another go to law before the unjust and not before the saints." Possibly some aged hearer may still recall the emphasis expressed in the utterance of "*Dare*," deep, prolonged, terrific, reverberating, inimitable, as the roar of "Jupiter Tonans."

This volume covers the ministry of the sweet and sainted Joseph D. Condit, from 5th Sept., 1830 to April 2d, 1835. It reaches over the ministry of Samuel R. Ely, D. D., as stated supply from 1835 to 1846, whose genial ways, social fondness, fatherly care and abounding love still linger in the

memory of his flock. It covers the short ministry of Alexander Bullions, 1846-1848, and almost all that of Samuel Huntington, begun in 1848 and closed in 1849 by his lamented death. The stream of history running through this volume measured by the career of the many eminent men who lived and died within its years seems still more long and rapid.

Eleazar Miller, grandson of John, the first settler, elected member of Assembly in 1748, re-elected continuously until 1769, was thence called "Assemblyman Miller." In the latter year, after a warm contest, Col. afterwards Gen. Woodhull, of sad Revolutionary fame, secured the majority for Assembly over Miller. This useful, hospitable, prudent patriot and venerable legislator died March 15th, 1788, aged over 91. Doctor Nathaniel, son of Col. Abraham Gardiner, surgeon in the army of the Revolution, represented this County in the Assembly in 1786, 89 and 90. Thomas Wickham, (Capt. of a privateer in the Revolution) was Assemblyman in 1800-1-2. Jonathan Dayton in 1803-5-8. Jonathan S. Conkling in 1811-14. Abraham Parsons in 1817-20. Dayton and Conkling were subsequently in the State Senate. The writer well remembers these two representatives and others in public life fifty years and more by gone—men of mark, known in the councils of the State and Nation as David Gardiner, father of Mrs. President Tyler and author of the "Chronicles" mentioned, Abel Huntington, M. D., David Hedges, Jr., Josiah C. Dayton, Samuel Miller, and many more, men of strong intellect, practical judgment, independent thought and personal power among the distinguished minds of the Nation. Fifty years since few streets, even in the great cities of the land, presented a brighter constellation of minds than East-Hampton Main street. In her palmy days it may be doubted if the Senators of East-Hampton would compare unfavorably with the illustrious Senate of the Roman Republic.

The instruction and teaching of her brilliant line of minis-

ters and statesmen may well be summed up in the words of Josiah Quincy, of Boston: "Human happiness has no perfect security but freedom; freedom none but virtue; virtue none but knowledge; and neither freedom, nor virtue, nor knowledge has any vigor or immortal hope except in the principles of the Christian faith and the sanctions of the Christian religion."

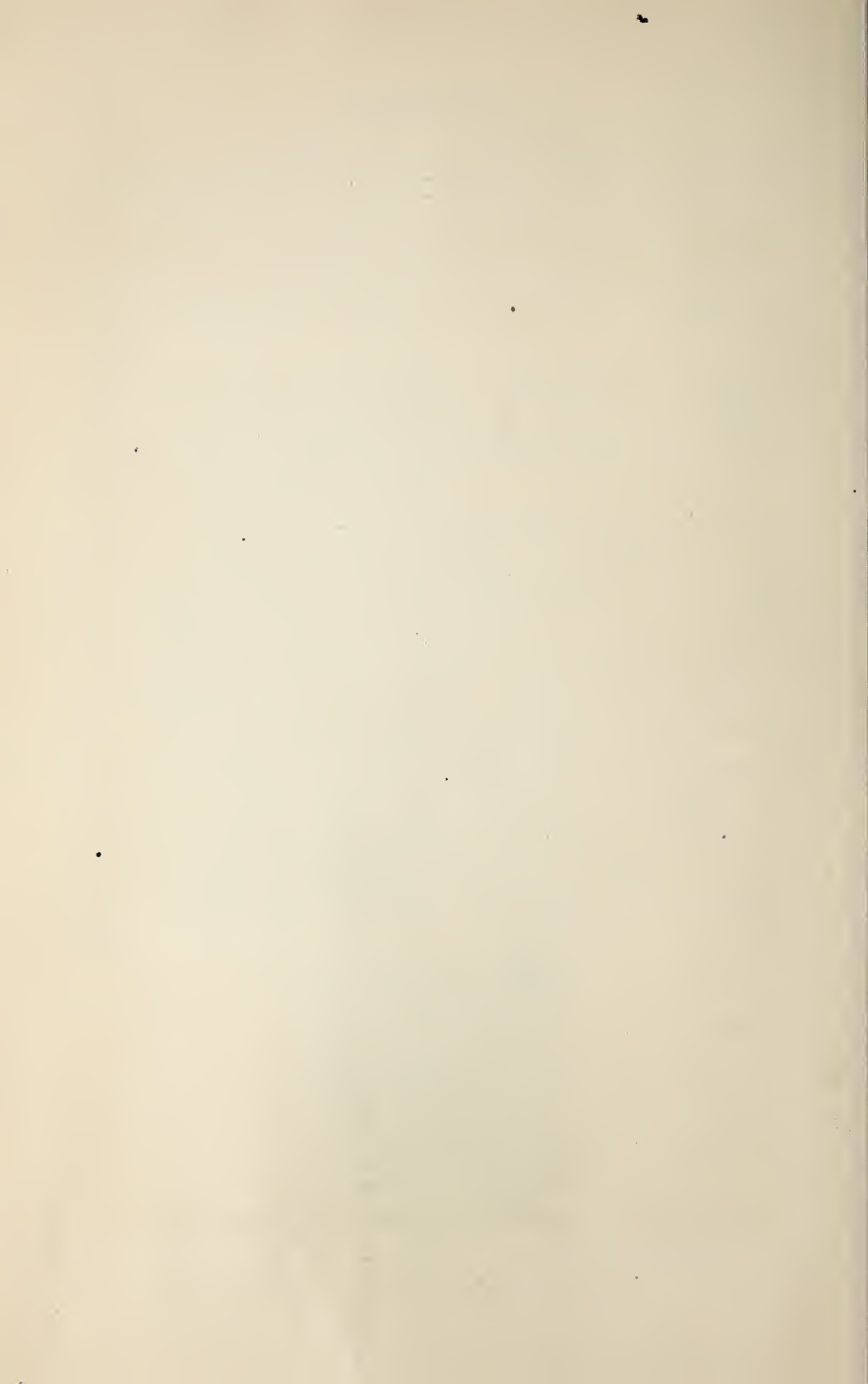
By the munificence of the Town of East-Hampton her ancient records for two hundred years are rescued from oblivion and perpetuated in print, to be an imperishable legacy of instruction and light to the world.

Since 1849, when by invitation the writer delivered the Historical Address commemorating the bi-centennial of the settlement of his native town, forty years have gone. By the partiality of his townsmen he has been invited to write and permitted in old age to complete with his own hand, introductions to the former three and to this fourth volume of printed records. Thanks to them. Thanks to the "Power Supreme." For the good of his native town and native isle his heart until its last expiring pulsation will never cease to beat. For the culture of our youth, for the diffusion of knowledge, for the preservation of our traditions and history, for the perpetuity of our free institutions, his desire will never die. My native isle and native town, may they be forever free!

"Free as the winds that winnow
Her shrubless hills of sand;
Free as the waves that batter
Along her yielding land,
Than hers at duty's summons,
No loftier spirit stirs.
Nor falls o'er human suffering
A readier tear than hers.
God bless the sea-beat Island,
And grant forevermore,
That Charity and Freedom dwell
As now upon her shore."

Bridge-Hampton, November 13, 1889.

H. P. HEDGES.



INDIAN PLACE-NAMES IN EAST-HAMPTON TOWN, L. I., WITH THEIR PROBA- BLE SIGNIFICATIONS,

BY

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That part of Long Island now comprising the town of East-Hampton, was once the home of the noted tribe of Indians, called the Montauks by the early settlers. Every sandy bluff and shore bordering on the many tidal creeks, harbors and bays that indent this part of Long Island are whitened on every hand by the decayed shells and other refuse that mark their wampum manufactories and the wigwam sites of long ago. The neighboring sand-flats teeming then, as they do to-day, in marine products, was naturally a favorite resort of these primitive people. Gardiner's Bay and land adjoining was known to the Dutch traders as "the Crommegouw," "crooked country" or "district," and was described by them, long before the English settlement, "as being a fair and fertile land, inhabited by Indians, and where the greater part of the wampum was made, for which furs are traded."

Montauk was not their tribal name, if indeed they ever possessed one, for Roger Williams says of the Rhode Island Indians: "they had no name to difference them from strangers, except that which signifies men, folke or people, and the names that they take from their place of residence." This name, in the case of the Montauks, being the descriptive appellation of their principal dwelling place, "the Meuntacut high-land," as it is called in the Indian deed of 1648, on which their palisadoed inclosures were situated. These stockades

are mentioned in the deed of 1661, viz: "on this side westward to the place where the old Indian fort stood, on the other side eastward to the new fort that is yet standing." The outlines of the latter (180 feet square,) are still visible after a lapse of over two centuries, and inclose about forty Indian graves of a later date. The confederacy, (if we may so term it), of which these Indians formed a part, were governed by four brothers, chiefs of the four eastern Long Island tribes, viz: the Manhassetts, Montauketts, Shinecocks and Corchaugs, with the eldest brother as the principal ruler, who was known as the Sachem of Paumanack, "land of tribute," or "contributing," as eastern Long Island was termed. This name was derived from the fact that they were at first under tribute to the Pequots in Connecticut, and afterwards to the United Commissioners at Hartford. In 1645 these four Sachems took under their protection all the other small tribes on the Island, as far west as the Rockaways in what is now known as Hempstead town. The villages of the Unkechaugs, Secatogues, Setaukets, Rockaways, and the Mattinecocks, who then resided at Nissquogue, being especially mentioned. This protection and care was the reason why the settlers in the western part of the Island visited Three Mile Harbor, Montauk and other places in this town, in order to obtain the sign-manual of the Sachem of Paumanack (as Waiaundance the Montauk chieftain was then called, after the death of his elder brother), to their deeds, before they could be recognized as valid instruments of transfer.

The Montauks also belonged to the great Algie family, whose language was spoken, with dialectic variation, along the Atlantic coast from the icy shore of Labrador to the verdant groves of the Carolinas, and which, with slight change, is still spoken in the forests of Canada and on the shores of its great lakes.

It is only by comparison with the vocabularies left by such

men as Williams, Cotton, Heckewelder, Zeisberger, Baraga, and the work done by J. Hammond Trumbull, LL. D., that we are able to obtain the probable meaning of these few local place-names, which are, with the exception of the meagre lists of words left by Gardiner, the 7th proprietor of Gardiner's Island, the sole mementoes of the Montauk dialect. These names are invariably descriptive of the locality, geographically or otherwise, to which they were originally applied by the Indians, nothing poetical or romantic appearing in any of them. In giving these significations we use our best judgment, arrived at only by considerable study and research. Knowing well the localities, familiar from boyhood, has been of great assistance in studying out the reason why the names were so bestowed. At best, however, our efforts are only provisional, owing to the way our ancestors had of changing the names to suit their English pronunciation and to make them easy of utterance. When we find a simple English word spelled in three or four different forms in one deed, we cannot expect regularity in spelling the aboriginal. Frequently the early settlers gave the name of an Indian to the creek, swamp or tract of land where the native at one time erected his wigwam of rushes. Every instance of this kind is a barrier to the interpreter, for they differ from a place-name, and unless we find the name of the Indian mentioned in the early records (as in Georgica) we must remain somewhat in doubt in regard to it.

Frequently in searching the early records or deeds of the various towns on Long Island, we find the meaning of an Algonkin term suggested or expressed in English. For instance, in the Montauk deed of 1670 appears the boundary-place Shahchippitche, "a place midway between Fort Pond and Great Pond." Analysis gives us Shah, "midway," chippitche, "a separated place." The same suggestions appear in the other names in this deed, every one being bound marks

and evidently bestowed at the time of defining the boundaries before the deed was drawn.

In regard to the degenerated remnant of the tribe now residing within the limits of the township, recognized by their characteristic aboriginal features, mixed with negro, we would say that they have no knowledge of their native language, traditions or customs, all have been lost or forgotten years ago. With these few remarks we submit the names.

Acabonack.—Neck of land, meadow and harbor in the northern part of the town, adjoining Gardiner's bay. The hamlet at this locality formerly called by the same name is now known as the "Springs," P. O. The name probably at one time applied to a settlement of Indians who lived on what is sometimes called in the records "Acabonack Neck," near "Fire place." The early forms are Ackobonuk, Occobonak, Accobonock, etc. U. S. Coast Survey, Acabomock. The name Acqueb-omack signifies "place before (on this side of, or in front of) some other place." Perhaps the place before or opposite to Gardiner's Island.

Amagansett.—P. O. village. This place has been noted for its off shore whale fishing for many years. Many of the inhabitants gain their living from the neighboring waters. N'amagan-es-et signifies, "at, about, or in the neighborhood of the fishing-place." Gardiner, in the "Chronicles of East-Hampton," derives the name from the Indian owner of the land. No doubt an error, as it cannot be authenticated. Same name with a prefix occurs in Rhode Island, viz: Mashaqu-amaganset, "the red (salmon) fishing place."

Appa'quogue.—A farming locality in the western part of the town. Also known as the "Lily pond" at an early period. The name designates "a place where flags or rushes grow," "a lodge-covering place." The flags (cat-tail flag, *Typha Latifolia*) were used to cover their wigwams, and for making

mats. It occurs in Southampton as a name for a creek ; now corrupted to Paucuck.

Ashawagh.—A place at "Hand's Creek," Three Mile Harbor. Probably the site of the Indian village between the branches of the creek, indicated by the large shell-heap at that point. The name means "a place between," "on the forks" (of a creek, etc.) and occurs as a place-name in many instances throughout New England.

Chebiakinnausuk, Chabiakinnauhsuk.—A locality in the "North Neck," Montauk. One of the many outlets of the swamps in that section, and one of the boundaries of the purchase of 1670. Signifying "a long brook or small stream that divides or separates one tract of land from another." "A long boundary brook."

Choppauhshapaugausuck.—Place on the east side of the "North Neck," Montauk, now known as the "Ditch Plain," and one of the boundaries mentioned in the deed of 1670. Choppausha-paugaus-suck means a "place separated where the outlet of a pond or some small stream widens or opens out." The ditch being the outlet of Great Pond on the south.

Copeces.—A locality at the head of Three Mile Harbor. The name designates "a little harbor," or "a little place of shelter," literally "a place shut in," and was probably the inner harbor which is shut in by two sandy points of land with a small passage between. Evidences of Indian sojourns in time past are visible on all sides.

Georgica.—A pond and locality in the western part of the town adjoining the ocean. Derived from an Indian who formerly lived on what is called Georgica Neck. Early forms are Gorgika, Jorgke and Georgikey. This name (a personal one) is found on a whaling agreement of 1679, as Jeorgkee. See Vol. 2, p. 79. Its meaning has not been ascertained.

Gunnunks.—A swamp in the "North Neck," Montauk. A place in close proximity is also known as "Gunnunk's Gar-

den," so called from a squaw who formerly lived and planted there. Her name denotes "the tall standing tree."

Konkhonganik.—The southern part of Fort Pond, Montauk. This pond was the eastern limit of the purchase of 1661, and the name Konkhongan-ut or it, signifies "at the boundary." Forms of spelling are Konhunganit, Konk-hung-gan-ock, etc.

Mahchongitchuge.—A swamp in the "North Neck," Montauk, "where the hay stacks stood," being one of the bound marks of the purchase of 1670. It means "the swamp where rushes grow," from the Narrag Machaug, "swamp," and Muskechoge, "place of rushes." Machaug-kechoge.

Manchonack.—Gardiner's Island. The signification of this Indian name, as given to John Lyon Gardiner, the seventh proprietor of the Island, by a Montauk chief, was a "place where many have died." This is probably correct and no doubt the true meaning, for taken in its variations of spelling as found, it seems to be equivalent to a Narragansett term signifying "the land or place of the dead."

Manunkquiang.—A locality in the "North Neck," Montauk. This has been translated as "Menhaden country," no doubt incorrectly. It was the eastern limit or boundary of the purchase of 1670, mentioned in that deed as "being on the farthest side the woods, growing on great pond eastward." Careful study shows that it denotes "as far as the land goes," "limit or ending of the land."

Mirrachtauhacky.—Dutch notation for Montauk. Found so recorded in a treaty of 1645, between the tribes and council of New Netherland. Given in DeKay's Indian names of L. I. as Merantahacky, "a place unknown on Long Island." See the following.

Montauk, Montaukut.—The peninsula on the eastern end of the town. Probably the best known Indian place-name in the country. Its signification has been variously given. J. Hammond Trumbull, the eminent Algonkin scholar, in his

“Names in Connecticut,” says: “This name is probably a form of Manatuck, a name frequently bestowed on high or hilly land throughout New England, and denotes ‘a place of observation,’ ‘a look-out,’ ‘a place for seeing (or to be seen) far off,’” and not as he once believed from Manati, “island.” Gardiner, in the “Chronicles of East-Hampton,” 1840 and 1871, and Ayers, in the “Legends of Montauk,” 1849, translates it as “the hilly land or country,” from having been called in deeds and elsewhere “the Meuntacut high land.” The writer would suggest another derivation, one that is more probable than either the above, and has tradition and history to support it. The early forms of the name (see Vols. I, II III of these Records, and the other early records of the Long Island towns), are Meantaquit, Meuntacut, Meuntauket, Meuntaukut, etc., which are synonymous with the Delaware (Zeisberger), Mœnachk-et or Menachk-ut, “at the fort,” or “fort place.” The Dutch form Mirrachtauhacky, finds its parallel partly in the Mass., (Cotton) and partly in the Del. Menehke-tau-hacky, “fortified country,” or “fort country.” With this meaning the quotation from the deed of 1649 would be “unto the fort-place high land.” The fort at that period having been located directly on the boundary now marked by a granite post and a pile of stones, where the Nominick hills rise, (see sale of Montauk with map, 1879). The second fort is now perpetuated in “Fort Pond” and “Fort Pond Bay.”

Munchog, Munchoage, Manchoage.—Now known as the “Great Pond Island,” Montauk. “Trustees ordered that notice be given for the sale of liberty to mow what mowable grass may be found within the Indian field, provided they the buyers cut no other than where the rushes grow, and also what if any kind may be found mowable on the Island in the great pond called Munchoag.” Aug. 30th, 1709. See Vol. III, p. 216. This name probably signifies “an island of meadow,” “a place where rushes grow,” from Munni, “island,” muske-

choge, "rushes," "place of rushes," "a meadow." Large part of its area being rushes and marsh. Moriches Island, Brookhaven town, was called Kitcha-minchog, "the great Island meadow or place of rushes," etc. See Mahchongitchuge.

Neapeague, (Nap-peeg.)—The long beach that connects the high land of Montauk with the Island at the Amagansett hills. The name signifies "the water land," and well describes its appearance, being a dreary stretch of sand and marsh.

Nominick, *Nommonock*.—Hills at the western end of Montauk. These hills rise from the dreary waste of Neapeague beach, and can be seen from a long distance both by land and water. The name Naumun-auke signifies "land to be seen, or seen," (from afar.)

Pantego, *Pantigo*.—A locality short distance east of East-Hampton village, on the road to Amagansett. Hon. Henry P. Hedges regards the name as being the same as the English pant-I-go, from some local happening, and not aboriginal as supposed. Similar names occur in other parts of the United States.

Potinack.—A depression or hollow on the south side of Montauk, in the "Hither Woods," west of the U. S. L. S. Station, on "Hither Plains." It is sometimes called "Potinack hole." The Indian name describes the locality "where the land sinks or bulges in." A watering place at Amagansett is also known as Potinack hole.

Quadams.—Hill in the "Indian Field" near the Oyster Pond, Montauk. From the mark of the English possessive, probably so called from some Indian named "Quadam" who lived on or near the hill.

Quanuntowunk, *Quannontowunk*.—The name of the northern part of Fort Pond, Montauk. Has been misapplied by historians and others to Fresh Pond on the western end, but the deed of 1661 says, "the name of the pond (Fort Pond) being Quanuntowunk on the north, and Konkhonganik on the

south." (Hedges' address, East-Hampton Bi-centennial, 1849. Ranger's deeds of Montauk, 1850.) The significations sometimes found for this name, "the haunts of the fish-hawk," and "where there is a fence," are evidently wrong. The name probably refers to the long ditch or outlet of the pond, now partially closed, which crosses the beach at this point. It was through this outlet that the Indians formerly dragged their canoes back and forth from the pond to the bay. The name seems to be compounded from Quannon "long," towunk "a ford" or "wading place." "The long ford or wading place." Towounk or Towunk as a name of a wading place is found in the name "Towd," Southampton, and in "Toyongs," "To-youngs" or "Towungs," the Indian name of "Red Creek," Southampton town.

Shagwannock, (Shag-wom.)—Hills, point of land, and reef of rocks on the north side of the "Indian fields," Montauk. The hills are the highest on Montauk. On their slopes the Indian huts were erected and occupied until recently. Now they have disappeared, a low mound and shallow excavation alone mark their sites. The various forms of spelling, beside the above, are Shagwong, Shangwong, Shagwanac, etc. The name is probably the same as the Delaware Schajawong, with the locative suffix, "place on the side of a hill."

Shahchippitchuge.—A place on the "North Neck," Montauk. Being a pile of stones midway between Great Pond and Fort Pond, to mark a boundary as given in the deed of 1670, known as the nine-score acre purchase, or land between the ponds. The name denotes, "the midway place of separation."

Wainscott.—Earlier, Wayinscot, Wayunscut and Wainscut. A farming district and pond in the eastern part of the town, adjoining the ocean. The "Chronicles of East-Hampton," derive the name from the Indian owner of the land. The authority for this cannot be found. Analysis of Indian names by Dr. J. H. Trumbull would make the name Waen-omsk-ut

"where a creek, road or path winds or goes by a rock." Same name occurs in North Providence, R. I.

Wamponamon.—The eastern end of Montauk where the Light House stands. "Neck of Montaukut from sea to sea, from the utmost end of the neck eastward, called Wompenan-it," deed 1661. Also Wompenoonot, later Wamponamon. The name signifies "at the east," or "eastward."

Wegwaganuck, Wigwaganoek.—That part of Sag-Harbor lying in East-Hampton. The name probably designated the Indian village now indicated by the remains of the large shell heap at the foot of Sleight's hill, on land belonging to Mrs. Faunny R. Harrison, and to the heirs of the late Wm. R. Sleight. The greater part of this village site has been carted away to fill up the adjoining meadow. The name Wequae-adn-auke signifies "land or place at the end of the hill." The same is found in Sharon, Conn., as Wegnagnock.

Wuchebehsuck.—A valley on the "North Neck," Montauk, being the north-west boundary of the "land between the ponds," purchased in 1670, "bounded by Wuchebehsuck, a place by the Fort Pond, being a valley southward from the fort hills pond." The name Wutchebeh-suck denotes "at the bound-mark brook" or "outlet," "the brook that divides," or the division brook." Eliot in his Indian Bible, 1663, uses, almost the same prefix for divided, in Genesis 1 chap., 4 v., "and God divided the light from the darkness." At certain seasons of the year a small stream flows through this valley, fed by the numerous swamps, lily ponds, etc., that are to be found in the vicinity.

RECORDS

—OF THE—

Town of East-Hampton, L. I.

November the 22d 1734, on Friday the Trustees met by a warrant and ordered Mr. Huntings wood for to be got on Wednesday and for to meet again the 6 day of December.

December the 6 the Trustees being met according to adjournment and ordered Mr. Huntings wood for to be got on Wednesday and for to meet again the 6 day of December.

December the 6 the Trustees being met according to adjournment and ordered Timothy Mulford for to mend the school-house glass that is now broken and ordered to meet again the 20 of Demember on Friday 6 o'clock. Met according to adjournment and ordered Daniel Osborn for to get a Justice of the Peace for to swear the Assessors are ordered for to meet again on Friday December the 27 and being met according to adjournment and did agree for to meet again on Friday night which will be the 10 of January.

Loose Leaf 27.—Trustees being met according to adjournment January the 10 and did agree that Timothy Mulford should dig up the great gun that he set in the ground, and they also agreed for to have the boys or persons prosecuted that broke the school house glass if they can be found by Daniel Osborn and Mr. John Wick and adjourned their meeting to the 17 day at 6 at night. Being met according to

order and did agree for to have the Town charge brought in to Nathaniel Baker in order for to make a rate and adjourned their meeting to the 31 of January 1734-5.

Being met according to order did agree with Nathaniel Baker for to make a town rate and order for meet on Friday night the 7 of February

Met and ordered for to meet again on the 14th of February; being met according to adjournment they did agree for to have Mr. Huntings proportion of the Town rate paid out of the overplus of the rate, and adjourned their meeting to the first Tuesday in March and being met according to adjournment and agreed with Ebenezer Edwards for to ring the bell and sweep the meeting house according to custom for four pounds a year.

Entered by me

NATHANIAL BAKER, Clerk to the Trustees.

Book E, page 5 Willian Barber brought a wild cat's head November the 18 1734 0 4 0.

Loose Leaf B.—David Conkling Junior, enterenth for his ear mark a crop on the left ear, and a halfpenny on each side of the right ear.

Entered December the 3 1734.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 5.—Jeremiah Osborne brought a wild cat's head January the 9 1734-5 0 4 0.

Book G. page 142 (Abstract).—To all people to whom these presents shall come, Greeting, Know ye that I Josiah Osborn of Easthampton &c., Yeoman, for and in consideration

of the sum of eighty pounds to me in hand paid by Joseph Conkling of the same place. Yeoman, have granted and sold unto the said Joseph Conkling and his heirs forever, one parcel of land at a place called Georgaca Neck, containing forty acres more or less bounded by the land of the said Josiah Osborne west and common land north, and by land that did belong to John Evans northeast, and by Georgaca pond and creeks easterly and southeasterly, it being all the land that did formerly belong to Capt. Talmage in that neck, to have and to hold the same forever, with warranty.

In witness whereof the said Josiah Osborne hath hereunto set his hand and seal the 24 day of January 1734-5.

JOSIAH OSBORNE [L.S.]

In presence of

Cornelius Conkling.

John Hand.

Acknowledged same day before

THOMAS CHATFIELD.

Entered and compared by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 143, (Abstract). To all people to whom these presents shall come, Greeting, Know ye that I, John Hand of Easthampton &c, Yeoman, for in consideration of the sum of ten pounds paid by Joseph Conkling of same place Yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of ten pounds by Joseph Conkling of same place, Yeoman, have granted and sold unto the said Joseph Conkling and to his heirs forever, one parcel of land in the bounds of Easthampton at a place called Georgaca neck containing ten acres more or less, excepting one-half acre of land in the bounds of the said ten acres which the said John Hand reserves and keeps for an orchard which hath apple trees now growing in part of it, bounded

with Goose Creek southerly, by the land of the said Joseph Conkling Conkling easterly and westerly and by common land northerly, it being all the land that I have in that neck, to have and to hold the same forever, with warranty.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 24 day of January 1734-5.

JOHN HAND, [L.s.]

In presence of
Cornelius Conkling.

Josiah Osborn.

Acknowled same day before

THOMAS CHATFIELD.

Entered and compared by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 144, (Abstract.—To all people to whom these presents shall come, Greeting, Know ye that I, Joseph Conkling of Easthampton &c., Yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of eighty pounds to me in hand paid by Joseph Osborn of the same place, Weaver, have granted and sold unto the said Josiah Osborn and his heirs forever, a parcel of land at a place called Wainscot, containing twenty-five acres and a half more or less bounded by the highway west and northwest, and by Goose Creek north and eastwardly and by the land of Stephen Hand and a creek of water southerly, To have and to hold the same forever, and do give warranty.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 24 day of January 1734-5.

JOSEPH CONKLING, [L.s.].

In presence of
Cornelius Conkling.

John Hand.

Acknowledged same day before

THOMAS CHATFIELD.

Entered and compared by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Losse Leaf B.—Cornelius Conkling Junior, entereth for his ear-mark for all sort of creatures a crop on the right ear.

Entered March the 17th 1734.5.

Entered by me.

CORNELIUS CONKLING. Town Clerk.

Book E, page 9.—At a town meeting April the 1st 1735. It was then agreed on by major vote that the owners of Napeag meadows have liberty to remove the fence that stands across Napeag and to set it up across the beach at the high land from the south side to the north side and that horse kind and neat cattle are and shall be liable to be impounded the owners paying according to the former order made in April the 2nd 1728 and to lay the meadows according to a vote made in the year 1727 April 4.

Book E, page 11½.—At a Town Meeting held in Easthampton April the 1st 1735 were then chosen for Trustees as followeth it being our election day :

Josiah Miller, Joseph Osborne Jun., Daniel Dayton, John Dayton, John Mulford, John Parson Jun., Ephain Burnet, Burnet, William Osborne, Seth Parsons, Doctor Edward Hunting, Thomas Talmage, Noah Barnes.

Joseph Hicks and E iakinm Conkling were chosen constables.

Capt. Matt Mulford and Ephelet Stretton were chosed Assessors.

Capt. Matthias Burnet was chosen Supervisor.

John Hunting and Nathan Dayton were chosen Overseers of the poor.

Nathaniel Dominy and Samuel Parsons Ju. were chosen fence viewers.

Isaac Barnes Jr. was chosen Collector.

Loose Leaf A.—William Hedges Jr. entereth for his ear

mark a half-penny on each side of the left ear, and a half-penny on the fore side of the right ear.

Entered April the 8th 1735 per me,

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Loose Leaf A.—Thomas Davis entereth for his ear-mark a half-penny on each side of the right ear and a half-penny on the under side of the left ear.

Entered April the 16th 1735.

Entered per me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Loose Leaf A.—James Hand Junior entereth for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the left ear, and a hole in the right ear.

Entered May the 2nd 1735.

Entered per me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Loose Leaf A.—Benj. Smith entereth for his ear-mark a slope on the underside of the right ear, and a crop on the left ear, he, the said Smith laying down all other marks by him formerly used.

Entered May the 9th 1735.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 5.—Henry Conkling brought a wild cat's head May the 13th 1735 0 4 0.

Loose Leaf A.—Joseph Osborne Ju. entereth for his ear-mark one slit in the left ear.

Entered May the 28th 1735.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Loose Leaf A.—Henry Hudson entereth for his ear-mark one half-penny on each side of the right ear and one half-penny on the fore or upper side of the left ear.

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Entered May the 29th 1735.

Loose Leaf A.—Edward Huntting entereth for his ear-mark one slit in the right ear.

Entered June the 13th 1735.

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G. page 145.—September the twenty-fourth in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirty-five it was agreed by the Commissioners of the Town of Easthampton, for the laying out of highways in Easthampton, that there is and shall be a highway consisting of two rods wide through the land that was laid out to Bennjamin Osborn in Acabonick neck along down by the southwest side of Aron Fithian's land down to the northwest end of Josiah Miller's meadow, and from thence to consist of one rod and a half wide through Aron Fithian's land is the usual place down to the meadow of John Davis, they the said Aron Fithian and Benjamin Osborne or their assigns always the said Aron and Benjamin Osborne and their assigns have liberty for to set up each of them a swinging gate for the preservation of their grass and corn, always provided that the said Benjamin Osborne or his assigns do clear the said two poles highway, that it is sufficient and suitable for riding or carting from the meadows the said highway or if otherwise the common passing or path to be used as formerly allowing the old path to consist of two rods wide as abovesaid and the same to remain a highway forever. Entered by us

CORNELIUS CONKLING, }
THOMAS CHATFIELD, } Commissioners.

Book G, page 148.—Know all men by these presents that I, Benjamin Osborne of Easthampton, in the County of Suffolk and Province of New York, Yeoman, have assigned, ordained and made and in my stead and place have put and constituted my trusty and well-beloved friend William Hedges Jr. of the Town, County and Province abovesaid to be my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name and to my use to sell, alien, convey and confirm unto any person or persons whatsoever, all my housing, lands and tenements and edifices in or about the Town of Easthampton, and to make such deeds and conveyances as shall be needful for the same, and to sign, seal and deliver such deed or deeds as fully, amply as I myself could do if I were personally present, giving and granting unto my said attorney by the tenor of these presents my full and whole power, strength and authority in and about the premises and all and every other act and acts, thing and things, device and devices in the law whatsoever needful and necessary to be done in, and about the premises for the disposal and sales of any such lands, tenements, and edifices aforesaid for me and in any name to do, execute and perform as fully and largely and amply in every respect to all intents, constructions and purposes as I might or could do if I were personally present, ratifying, allowing and holding firm and stable all and whatsoever my said attorney shall lawfully do in or about the premises by virtue of these presents, in witness whereof I, the said Benjamin Osborne have here into set my hand and fixed my seal this twentieth day day of November 1735, and in the ninth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord George the second &c.

BENJAMIN OSBORNE, [L.s.]

Signed sealed and delivered.

In presence of

John Chatfield.

Burnet Miller.

[Abstract].—Acknowledged same day before
THOMAS CHATFIELD.

Entered and compared by
CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Loose Leaf A.—Nathan Conkling entereth for his ear-mark an Ell on the under side of the left ear, and a crop on the right ear and a slit on the right ear.

Entered December the 25th 1735.

Entered by me
CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 1.—Jeremiah Hedges entereth for his ear-mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the same, and a slope on the under side of the right ear.

Entered December the 31 1735.

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Mulford entereth for his son Lemuel's ear mark an halfpenny on the upper side of the left ear and a slit in the same ear, and a halfpenny on the under side of the right ear. Entered January the seventh 1735-6.

Entered by me
CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book of Marks, page 25.—Adam Cady enterereth for his ear mark one half-penny on each side of each ear. Entered February the 22nd 1735-6.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 1.—Stephen's squaw entereth for her ear mark one half-penny on each side of each ear.

Entered February the 25th 1735-6.

Entered by me
CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 12.---The proprietors of Meantauk being legally warned and met together February the 27th 1735-6 and did then agree by major vote to leave the whole management of Meantauk for the term of one year from the date above said to five men namely Capt. Matthew Mulford Eliph-let, Stretton, Daniel Osborne, Lion Gardiner and John Merry, and what the said committee or the major part of them shall do as above said shall be good and effectual as if the whole had done the same. The proprietors of Meantauk being met and assembled on the day above said and did then agree by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the time and term of one whole year from the date abovesaid not having right or not being duly entered or listed according to order of said committee shall and are liable to be impounded the owner or owners of all horse kind so impounded paying five shillings current money for each horse kind so impounded as above said.

Also agreed by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all neat cattle that shall be found grazing on Meantauk not having right for the same for the time of one whole year from the date above said according as it shall be stinted the owners of all such cattle so impounded paying five shillings for every neat beast so impounded.

Also agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawfull to impound all swine that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the time of one whole year from the date above said the owners of all swine so impounded paying three shilling for each swine so impounded the Indians swine only excepted they not exceeding their number.

Also agreed by major vote that it is and shall be lawfull to impound all sheep that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the time of one whole year from the date above said not having right for the same according to the stint the owners paying six pence for each sheep so impounded.

And the same penalty for impounding each horse kind neat beast sheep or swine that shall be found grazing in the fatting field or sheep pasture not having right for the same or without liberty from the committee above said and two shillings for impounding each weaned calf out of the fatting field and the same penalty for impounding each neat beast or weaned calf not being duly entered according to the order of the committee above said.

Also agreed on by major vote that the fence at the hither end of Meantauk to begin at common high water at the south side or sea and so to run across to the north side or sound the said fence to be three feet and ten inches high from the south side to the north side and to run into the north sea or sound until the water is three feet deep at the end of the said fence shall be a sufficient and Lawfull fence.

Also agreed on by major vote that the fence that is near Clabord hill is to run from the clift or bank on the south side to be four feet high from the said clift across to the north side or sound and to run into the said sound until the water is two feet deep at the end of said fence shall be a sufficient and lawful fence.

Also agreed on by major vote that the fatting field fence shall begin at highwater mark at the south sea and continue four feet high to the other end of the same shall be a lawful fence.

Also agreed on by major vote that all small stone horses running or at Meantank having two winters past over them are and shall be liable to be gelt by the 25th day of April after the date above said the owner or owners of all such horses so gelt paying according to the act of assembly made for that intent.

Also agreed on by major vote that four weaned calves shall be equal to one neat beast in the common pastures or in the fatting field.

Also agreed on by major vote that no person or persons

shall cut down or any ways destroy or carry off any timber or any fencing stuff on or off of Meantauk from the time of one whole year from the date above written on the penalty of paying for the same according to the act assembly made and provided on respect without liberty from the committee above said.

Page 12½.—Also agreed on by major vote of the proprietors of Meantauk February the 57th 1735-6 that, if any horse kind neat cattle sheep or swine be found grazing in the Indian field after the said field is shut up until the fattening cattle be put into the said field excepting the Indians own Creatures not exceeding number may and are liable to be impounded the owners of all such horse kind neat cattle sheep or swine paying five shillings for each horse kind or neat beast so impounded and three shillings for each swine and six pence for each sheep so impounded such creatures being only excepted having liberty from the committee also agreed on by major vote on the day above said that the committee above said may sue such persons as have their creatures on the land of Meantauk without liberty, if not impounded.

Also agreed on by major vote that if any horse kind be legally impounded off of Meantauk at any time of one whole year from the date above said and the owner or owners thereof cannot be found within forty-eight hours after they are impounded or no person will appear in that time and pay the poundage as above said that in such case all such horse kind so impounded may be sold at a public outcry and after the poundage with all damage and charge of sale be deducted the over-plus to be returned to owner if he can be found: or if any person have notice given him of their horse or horse kind being impounded and will not appear and pay the poundage in forty-eight hours after notice given him may be sold in manner as above said.

Also agreed on by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Meantauk after the 25 day of December to the first day of March in the year 1736 shall be and are liable to be impounded the owner or owners of all horse kind so impounded paying five shillings for each horse so impounded.

Also agreed on by major vote that seventy neat cattle shall be the whole number to pasture one whole share on Meantauk for the year above said and that seven sheep shall be the number to go on the land in the room of one neat beast and one horse kind in the room of two neat cattle. Also agreed on by major vote that the committee have full power to agree with John Merry to keep the sheep flock at Meantauk for the time and term of five years and to allow him the use of some land for his so doing as they shall think convenient.

Also agreed by major vote that the committee have full power to put a man at the fattening field for the term of one year and no longer.

Marks 25.—Samuel Mulford Ju. entereth for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of the left ear and a crop on the right ear.

Entered March the 8th 1735-6.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Nathan Conklin the son of Elisha Conklin entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the left ear and a half-penny on the upper side of the right ear and a slit in the right ear.

Entered March the 8th 1835-6.

Entered by me.

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Elisha Conkling, Jr., entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the left ear and a half-penny on the upper side of the right ear and a crop off the right ear.

Entered March the 10th 1735-6.

Entered by me Cornelius Conklin, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Elias Conklin entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and one half-penny on each side of the same ear and one slit in the left ear.

Entered by me March the 13th 1735-6.

Cornelius Conklin, Town Clerk.

Book G, 145.—Whereas there was an act of General Assembly made in this colony in the year 1732 for the clearing and laying out of public highways in the County of Suffolk and whereas in one clause of said act it is expressed that no highway shall be laid out through any particular man's land without the consent of the owner of the said land or paying all damages that the owner of said land shall suffer by the said highway being laid out through his land and whereas we the commissioners for the Town of Easthampton did lay out a highway in Acabonick neck through the land of Benjamin Osborne and through the land of Aron Fithian down to the meadow of John Davis without the consent of the owners of said land contrary to the said act of Assembly the said highway bearing date September the 24th, 1735, as you may see here under written, and now for the preventing of any contention or trouble that may hereafter arise concerning the said highway, we the Commissioners underwritten do make void and null the said highway with every article therein contained as absolutely as if we had never done the same, as attest our hands the sixteenth day of March 1735-6.

CORNELIUS CONKLING, }
THOMAS CHATFIELD, } Commissioners.

Book E, page 11½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April the 6th 1736. It being our election day and were then chosen for Trustees as followeth, viz. twelve Trustees two Constables and two Assessors: Daniel Miller, Joseph Conkling, Edward Jones, John Hedges, Jr., Thomas Mulford, Nathaniel Baker, Capt. Burner, Isaac Mulford, Jeremiah Mulford, Nathaniel Dominy, John Davis, William Hedges.

Joseph Hicks and Samuel Parsons, Jr., were Chosen Constables.

William Osborne and John Mulford was chosen Assessors.

Noah Barnes was chosen Collector.

Capt. Burnet was chosen Supervisor.

Cornelius Conkling, Jr., and Aron Fithian were chosen overseers of the poor.

Daniel Dayton and John Stretton were chosen fence viewers.

Page 13½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April the 6th 1736. It was then agreed on by major vote of proprietors of all undivided land in this town that there shall be a division of land in this town consisting of ten acres to one acre commonage on the north side in Acabonick Neck, Ayle wife Brook Neck or else where on the North Side to be laid out each neck in a division and that the trustees have full power for to lay out the same as they shall see cause and to get men to assist them as they shall have occasion.

Notwithstanding the above written signifies two divisions it was and is by the vote to be understood to be but one division in the whole. The abovesaid vote was deliberately read in the town meeting and past in the affirmative as attest
CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

On the day first above written it was agreed on by major

vote of the proprietors of East-Hampton then met together that all horse kind that shall be found grazing in or on this town commons westward of Meantank not being sufficiently side fettered shall be liable to be impounded the owners of all such horses so impounded paying one shilling for each horse so impounded.

Book E, page 14.—At a legal town meeting held in East-Hampton April the 6th 1736.

It was then agreed on by major vote of the proprietors of all undivided land belonging to this town that there shall be a division of land laid out in this town consisting of ten acres to one acre commonage on the north side in Acnbonick Neck and in Aylewife Brook Neck or elsewhere on the north side to be laid out and that the trustees of this town have full power to lay out the same and to get men to assist them in the doing of the same as they may have occasion and to be laid out in one division. The proprietors of the land abovesaid being met together April the 12th 1736. And did then agree by major vote that the said division of land abovesaid all shall be laid out in thirteen acre lots of Commonage so that there will be at least one hundred and thirty acres in one lot and whereas some of the lots may not be so good land or not be so well timbered as the best of them are, then and in such case the persons that lay out the said lots shall make additions to the poor lots by laying out or adding more land to them to make them equal with the best and whereas there will be several men's proportion of land laid out in one of said lots that he that hath the greatest quantity in said lot shall draw a lot for the whole lot and if the persons concerned in such lots can agree to divide the same within two months after the lots be laid out well. But if they cannot agree to divide the said lots then the trustees or the persons that laid out the same have full power to subdivide the said lot or lots allowing to each man con-

cerned in the same their part and proportion in quantity and in quality according to the best of their power.

The abovesaid votes are a true record as it was voted on the day abovesaid none opposing or voting to the contrary.

Attest, CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

The abovesaid division of land was laid out by the order of the trustees of the freeholders and commonalty of the town of Easthampton by Nathaniel Dominy Junior and several other men assisting him in laying out the same and the proprietors of this town common or undivided land being lesally met together June the fourth day 1736 and did then draw lots for the same and it came out as followeth : John Davis with his partners being the first lot in Acabonick Neck.

1. John Davis 66 acres 19-4 p. Jonn Evans, 11 acres $\frac{3}{4}$ -30 p. Lion Loper, 10 acres. John Merry, 41 acres $\frac{3}{4}$ -10 p. This first lot is bondded northerly, eastwardly and westwardly by highways, and southerly by William Hedges lot.

2. William Hedges, 130 acres, bounded eastwardly and westwardly by highways and southerly by the third lot and Northerly by the first lot.

3rd lot. Ananias Conkling, 25 acres 10 p. John Parsons, the 4th, 90 acres $\frac{1}{2}$ -10 p. Nathan Miller, 14 acres $\frac{1}{4}$ -30 p. This lot is bounded eastwardly and westwardly by highways and southerly by the fourth lot and northerly by the second lot.

4th lot. Timothy Mulford, 100 acres on the westwardly end, bounded southwardly and westwardly by highways, Eastwardly by Nathaniel Dominy and Samuel Russill and Northward by the third lot. Nathaniel Dominy, 10 acres bounded Northwardly by the third lot, westwardly by Timothy Mulford, southwardly by Samuel Russill and eastwardly by

a highway. Samuel Russill, 20 acres bounded northwardly by Nathaniel Dominy, westwardly by Timothy Mulford, southwardly and eastwardly by highways.

Page 14 $\frac{1}{2}$.—5th lot. Benjamin Conkling 30 acres. Elias Mulford, 100 acres. This lot is bounded westerly eastwardly and southerly by highways.

6th lot. Beriah Dayton, 90 acres. John Mulford, 40 acres.

The lot is bounded northerly by the fifth lot and westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southerly by the seventh lot.

7th lot. John Mulford 130 acres this lot is bounded westwardly and eastwardly by highways and northerly by the sixth lot and southerly by the eighth lot.

8th lot. Daniel Baker, 48 acres. Jonathan Baker, 31 acres. Icabod Leeke, 51 acres. This lot is bounded westwardly and eastwardly by highways and northerly by the seventh lot and southerly by the ninth lot.

9th lot. Samuel Dayton 141 acres. This lot is bounded westwardly and eastwardly by highways and northwardly by the (eighth lot) tenth lot.

10th lot. Nathaniel Baker Jr., 164 acres. This lot is bounded westwardly and eastwardly by highways and northerly by the ninth lot and southerly by the thirty-ninth lot.

11th lot. At Hog Creek from said creek to the flaggy hole. Thomas Edwards, 123 acres and $\frac{1}{2}$. Isaac Barnes 50 acres and $\frac{1}{2}$. The proprietors, 2 acres and $\frac{1}{2}$. Thomas Brown 2 acres and $\frac{1}{2}$. Thomas Edwards eastward by the Hog Creek, Isaac Barnes next to him, the proprietors next, Thomas Brown next and joining to the flaggy hole. Bounded in general by said creek and the clift northerly and westerly and partly by a highway. Next the lots layed out in Aylewife Brook Neck from Sedar Point eastward to the Hands Creek.

12th lot. Samuel Hedges and Joseph Hicks 124 acres $\frac{1}{2}$. John Terry 5 acres $\frac{1}{2}$. Bounded westwardly and northerly by

the beach and clift, and southerly the highway and brook eastwardly by the thirteenth lot.

13th lot. William Edwards and Ebenezer Edwards, 60 acres. Giddion Hedges and his mother both together, 70 acres. This lot is bounded westwardly by the twelfth lot and and eastwardly by the fourteenth lot and northerly by the cliff and southerly by the highway.

Book E, page 15.—14th lot. Seth Parsons with part of the pond, 88 acres. John Parsons with part of the pond, 32 acres. Noah Barnes 20 acres. This lot is bounded westwardly by the thirteenth lot and eastwardly by the fifteenth lot and northerly by the cliff and southerly by the highway.

15th lot. Seth Parsons twenty-one poles wide by the front and so comes to nothing, a half mile long from the front bounded southerly by a highway, easterly by Thomas Talmage and westerly by the fourteenth lot and northerly by the cliff this last above Seth Parsons bought of George Smith Thomas Talmage part and the heirs of Capt. Talmage both together in this lot is 120 acres. Cornelius Conkling thirty three poles. 16th lot. Mr. Nathaniel Hunting 130 acres. This lot is bounded westwardly by the fifteenth lot and southerly by a highway, northwardly by the cliff and eastwardly by the seventeenth lot.

17th lot. The heirs of Capt. Talmage deceased, 65 acres. Widdow Catterine Talmage, 10 acres. Daniel Petty, 2 acres and a half. The proprietors 2 acres and a half. John Hedges 50 acres. This lot is bounded westward by the sixteenth and southwardly by a highway, northerly by the cliff and eastwardly by the eighteenth lot.

18th lot. Capt. Matthew Mulford 130 acres. This lot is bounded westwardly by the seventeenth lot. southerly by a highway, northwardly by the cliff and eastwardly by the nineteenth lot.

19th lot. Capt Matthias Burnet 130 acres. This lot is

bounded westwardly by the eighteenth lot, southerly by a highway, northwardly by the cliff and eastwardly by a highway and common land. The twentieth lot begins on the northwesterly range on the southwardly side of Aylewife Brook and so southwardly toward Barn's meadow.

20th lot. William Osborne 70 acres. Aron Fithian 98 acres. This lot is bounded northwardly and eastwardly by highways, westwardly by the cliff and southerly by the the twenty-first lot. And also an addition of 33 acres to the said lot by Eliakim Conkling land at Hand's Creek first Aron Fithian 12 acres $\frac{2}{3}$ 10 p. bounded northerly by David Edwards meadow. Next William Osborne 8-2-10. Next Eliakim Conkling joining to his own land bounded by a highway westwardly 11 acres.

21st lot. John Hedges 130 acres. This lot is bounded eastwardly by a highway, northwardly by the twentieth lot, westwardly by the cliff and southerly by the twenty-second lot.

22nd lot. Jeremiah Mulford 84 acres and a half. The heires of William Barnes 45 acres and a half. This lot is bounded northwardly by the twenty first lot westwardly by the cliff southwardly by the twenty-third lot and eastwardly by highway.

23d lot. Joseph Conkling and Thomas Filer 100 acres. Jane Conkling heir to Samuel Conkling, deceased, 30 acres. This lot is bounded northwardly by twenty-second lot westwardly by the cliff, southwardly by the twenty-fourth lot and eastwardly by a highway.

24th lot. The heirs of William Schellinx 120 acres. This lot is bounded southwardly by a highway and ten acres. Over the highway bounded southwardly and eastwardly by Isaac Hedges and westwardly by northwest swamp. Now begins the second range of lots beginning at the head of David Edwards his meadow south.

25th lot. Robert Parsons 82 acres. Samuel Parsons 53 acres. This lot is bounded northwardly, westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southwardly by the twenty-sixth lot.

26th lot. Mr. Nathaniel Hunting 22 acres and 13 poles and $\frac{1}{3}$ of a pole. Samuel Hudson 107 acres $\frac{3}{4}$ and 26 pole $\frac{2}{3}$ of a pole. This lot is bounded northwardly by the twenty-fifth lot and westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southwardly by the twenty-seventh lot.

27th lot. Elias Hand 30 acres. Elisha Osborn 60 acres. John Talmage 40 acres. This lot is bounded northwardly by the twenty-sixth lot and westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southwardly by the twenty-eighth lot.

28th lot. Cornelius Conkling on the southward side 91 acres. The heirs of Samuel Gardiner 42 acres and a half. This lot is bounded northward by the twenty-seventh lot and westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southwardly by the twenty-ninth lot.

29th lot. Lion Gardiner and Jonathan. King 33 acres and one quarter. Eliphelet Stretten 99 acres and one quarter. Jonathan Young one acre $\frac{1}{2}$ and 30 pole. Beriah Dayton one acre $\frac{3}{4}$ and 15 poles. This lot is bounded Northwardly by the twenty-eighth lot and westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southwardly by the thirtieth lot.

30th lot. Timothy Mulford 35 acres. Lewis Conkling with the highway to Edwards close and the close 101 acres and $\frac{1}{4}$. The heirs of William Schellinx 5 acres and $\frac{1}{2}$. This lot is bounded northwardly by the twenty-ninth lot westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southwardly by the thirty-first lot.

31st lot. Josiah Miller, Ann Barber and William Hedges, 188 acres. This lot is bounded northwardly by the thirtieth lot and eastwardly and westwardly by highways. And southerly by common land.

Page 16.—32nd lot. Between Northwest path and Barnes path towards Northwest. Isaac Hedges 35 acres bounded northwardly by Barnes' path and partly by William Schellinx. Eastwardly by common land and southerly by John Squier. John Squier 24 acres bounded by Isaac Hedges northwardly, southerly by Northwest highway and eastwardly by common land. John Squier having 8 acres more on the south side of Northwest highway, bounded northwardly by Northwest highway, west by John Evans, southwardly by common land and eastwardly by Robert More. John Evans $\frac{1}{4}$ of one acre and 5 pole. Bounded northerly by Northwest highway, eastwardly by John Squier, southwardly and westwardly by common land. Robert More 57 acres bounded westwardly by John Squier, northwardly by Northwest highway, eastwardly by Thomas Edwards and southwardly by common land. Thomas Edwards one acre $\frac{3}{4}$ and ten pole between Robert More and Daniel Leek's land. Daniel Leek 47 acres three-quarters and 30 pole, bounded westwardly by Thomas Edwards, northwardly by Northwest highway eastwardly by John Petty and southerly by common land.

33d lot. John Petty 9 acres. Charles Glover 15 acres. John Stretten Ju. 53 acres. Jacob Schellinx 104 acres. This lot is bounded by the thirty second lot westwardly, by Northwest highway by common land eastwardly and southerly.

34th lot. In the north end of little Northwest Neck. Thomas Dibble the north end, 15 acres. Thomas Mulford 95 acres. William Hedges 50 acres. This lot is bounded northwardly by the cliff, westwardly and eastwardly by highways and southwardly by the thirty-fifth lot.

35th lot. Matthias Burnet 142 acres. Bounded northwardly by the thirty-fourth lot and eastwardly and westwardly by highways and southwardly by common land. Between the old Acabonick path and the new path we divided it crossways. 36th lot. David Conkling westwardly $85\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

Lewis Mulford next to him 10 acres and twenty pole. Samuel Mulford next eastwardly, 35 acres three quarters and twenty pole. This lot is bounded in general westwardly, northerly and eastwardly by highways and southerly by the thirty-seventh lot.

37th lot. Samuel Gardiner 130 acres. Bounded westwardly and eastwardly by highways and northerly by the thirty-sixth lot and southwardly by the thirty-eighth lot.

38th lot. Joseph Osborne 130 acres. Bounded by highways westwardly and eastwardly and by the thirty-seventh lot northwardly and by common land southerly, these three lots are between the two Acabonick paths. This lot lyeth between the New Acabonick path and the harbor path.

39th lot. Jeremiah Conkling northwardly, 91 acres and twenty pole. Theophilus Wilman 90 acres and one quarter and twenty pole. This lot is bounded westwardly and eastwardly by highways and northwardly by the tenth lot and southerly by the forty-first lot.

Book E, page 16 $\frac{1}{2}$.—40th lot. By Sag-Harbor, drawn by Daniel Miller and his partners, viz. Samuel Parsons Ju., the heirs of John Evans, Samuel Dayton, Daniel Dayton, and Beriah Dayton. Daniel Miller, 65 acres, bounded northwardly by beach, westwardly part by Daniel Miller's own meadow and part by a swamp, southwardly by Sag-Harbor highway and eastwardly by the heirs of John Evans. The heirs of John Evans $\frac{1}{4}$ of one acre and ten poles, bounded northwardly by Stephen Hand's land, westwardly by Daniel Milier's land, southwardly by Sag-Harbor highway and eastwardly by Beriah Dayton's land. Beriah Dayton 2 acres and 30 pole. Bounded northwardly by Stephen Hand's land, westwardly by the heirs of John Evans his land, southwardly by Samuel Dayton, Daniel Dayton and Samuel Parsons Ju. all together. Samuel Parsons Ju. 28 acres Samuel Dayton 13 acres and three-

quarters and Daniel Dayton 13 acres and three-quarters all three together bounded northwardly by Stephens Hand's land westwardly by Beriah Dayton, southwardly by Sag-Harbor highway and eastwardly part by a swamp and part by Daniel Leek his meadow ; part of this fortieth lot is land out by the bound line between the two towns being 32 acres divided as followeth Samuel Parsons 16 acres and one quarter ; Samuel Dayton 7 acres $\frac{1}{4}$ and twenty pole ; Daniel Dayton 7 acres and sixty pole all together bounded northwardly by Sag-Harbor highway southwardly by the line between the two towns and eastwardly by Thomas Chatfield's land.

41st lot. Is between the new Acabonick path and the Three Mile Harbor highway drawn by John Stretten and his partners viz. John Diamant and James Hand, John Stretten part is 85 acres and one half, bounded eastwardly by Acabonick new highway southwardly by John Diaments land, westwardly by Three Mile Harbor highway and northerly by Theophilus Wilmans land, John Diamant part in 66 acres bounded northwardly by John Strettens land eastwardly by the new Acabonick highway, southwardly James Hand's land and westwardly by the Three Mile Harbor highway ; James Hand part is 51 acres bounded northwardly by John Diaments land, eastwardly by Acabonick new highway, southwardly by the town common land and westwardly by the Three Mile Harbor highway in all 202 acres and $\frac{1}{2}$.

42d lot is on the east side of Acabonick Meadows drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting only containing 197 acres bounded northwardly part by Daniel Dayton's land and partly by Acabonick meadow or highway, eastwardly by the clift, southwardly by Isaac Mulford and Edward Hunting both together and westwardly by the highway that goes from Amaganset to Acabonick meadows. An addition laid to the 42nd lot of 18 acres drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting lying on the west side of Three Mile Harbor, bounded northwardly by the highway

that leads to the Three Mile Harbor beach, eastwardly by the harbor clift southwardly by Eleazer Miller and his partners land that was added to the 45th lot and westwardly by the highway that goes to the harbor on the west side on the east side of Acabonick toward Barns' hole.

Page 17 —43d lot. Draw by Isaac Mulrord and his parthers viz. Edward Hunting, John Conkling, Robert Leek and Benjamin Leek, Isaac Mulford and Edward Hunting 130 acres in two pieces. First Mulford and Edward Hunting 93 acres, bounded northwardly by Mr. Hunting, eastwardly by Barnes' hole, southwardly by the highway that goes to the brick kills and westwardly by the highway that goes from Amagansett to Acabonick. Isaac Mulford 60 acres, Edward Hunting 33 acres. Secondly Isaac Mulford and Edward Hunting 37 acres more bounded northerly by the highway that crosses the head of the great meadow, eastwardly by Amagansett highway that goes to Acabonick meadows, southwardly by John Conkling's land and westwardly by Daniel Osborne, Ju. and Thomas Osborne is together. Isaac Mulford 24 acres, Edward Hunting 13 acres. John Conkling 40 acres, bounded northwardly by Isaac Mulford's Edward Hunting land; eastwardly by Amagansett highway, southwardly by the town commons and westwardly part by Henry Conkling land and partly by Daniel Osborne and Daniel Osborn Ju. and Thomas Osborne all together. Robert Leek and Benjamin Leeke take an addition laid to the 43d lot, it being 36 acres, eighteen acres, each of them bounded northwardly by Eleazer Miller and his partners, eastwardly by the harbor bank, southwardly by Baker's meadow and westwardly by the highway that goes to the harbor beach.

44th lot drawn by Daniel Osborn, Tnomas Osborn, Daniel Osborn Ju., and mother. Daniel Osborne 60 acres and $\frac{3}{4}$ and 32 pole, Thomas Osborn 46 acres $\frac{3}{4}$ and 23 pole. Daniel Osborn Ju. and his mother 75 acres and 25 poles. All together

bounded northwardly by the highway that goeth by the great meadow to the east side of Acabonick eastwardly by the land of Isaac Mulford and Edward Hunting and part by Ananias Conkling his land, southwardly by town commons and westwardly by Eleazer Miller and his partners' land, in all 183 acres.

45th lot. Draw by Eleazer Miller and his partners, viz.: David Peirson, Thomas Catfield, Matthias Burnet, Elias Hand and Jeremiah Conkling; first Eleazer Miller 174 acres, David Pierson 20 acres $\frac{1}{2}$ and 5 poles. Thomas Chatfield 7 acres $\frac{1}{2}$ and 13 poles; Matthias Burnet 3 acres and $\frac{1}{2}$ and 20 poles; Elias Hand one acre and 2 pole. Jeremiah Conkling one acre and two poles, all together bounded northwardly by east side highway eastwardly by Daniel Osborne and his brothers' land, southwardly by town commons and westwardly by Acabonick old highway, in all 210 acres. An addition to the 45 lot as followeth: Eleazer Miller 14 acres $\frac{3}{4}$ and 18 peles. David Pierson one acre $\frac{3}{4}$ and 15 poles. Thomas Chatfield $\frac{1}{2}$ acre and 24 poles. Mathias Burnet $\frac{1}{4}$ of one acre and 27 poles. Elias Hand 16 poles. Jeremiah Conkling 16 poles. This addition to the said lot lies on the west side of Three Mile Harbor and is bounded northwardly by Mr. Hunting's land, eastwardly by the bank or harbor, southwardly by Robert and Benjamin Leek's land and westwardly by the highway that goeth to the harbor beach, in all 18 acres.

Page 17 $\frac{1}{2}$.—46th lot. Drawn by Thomas Chatfield. It lies by the bound line between East-Hampton and Southampton, containing 236 acres bounded northwardly by Joseph Conkling's land, Eastwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, southwardly by the town commons and weswardly by the line between the two towns.

47th lot is on the west side of Three Mile Harbor drawn by Matthias Hoping. John Hand 77 acres 3-10 bounded

westwardly by Hand's creek, northeastwardly by the harbor bank or clift, southeastwardly by Matthias Hopings land and southwestwardly by common land. Matthias Hoping 91 acres bounded northwestwardly by John Hand's land northeastwardly by Nathaniel Dominy's land southeastwardly by Stephen Hand's land southwestwardly by common land. Stephen Hand 11 acres $\frac{3}{4}$ bounded northwestwardly by Matthias Hoping land, northeastwardly by Nathaniel Dominy his land southeastwardly by Hezekiah Miller his land and southwestwardly by the town commons. Hezekiah Miller 21 acres 3-10 bounded northwestwardly by Stephen Hand's land, northeastwardly by the highway that goes to Dominy's land and southeastwardly by the same highway and southwestwardly by town common land in all 202 acres.

Marks 25.—Jeremiah Osborne entereth for his ear mark a half-penny on the under side of the left ear and a slit in the right ear and a nick on the under side of the right ear.

Entered April the 9th 1736.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 151. (Abstract.)—To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I, Daniel Leek of East-Hampton, &c., yeoman, and also that I, Hannah Leek, wife of the said Daniel Leek, for and in consideration of the sum of five hundred pounds current money of New-York, to usin hand paid by Icabod Leek of East-Hampton, &c. yeoman, have granted and sold unto the said Icabod Leek and his heirs forever, several tracts and parcels of land hereafter mentioned. One tract containing by estimation twenty-five acres more or less being in the township of South-

ampton bounded by a highway to the southward, northwardly and eastwardly, by the land of John Pierson and by a highway to the westward.

One parcel of land in the township aforesaid containing twenty six acres by estimation, be it more or less, bounded by a highway to the westward, by a beach to the southward, by the land of John Pierson to the westward, and by the land of Thomas Chatfield to the eastward, and all our lands, tenements, meadow, privileges in commons and right in Meantauk except the one sixteenth part of a share in Meantauk lying and being in the township of East-Hampton aforesaid, and all our right in the commons in the township of Southampton aforesaid that was given by Joseph Stretton formerly of East-Hampton, deceased, in his last will and testament to his daughter Hannah Jessup also deceased. the natural mother of the aforesaid Hannah Leek, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant.

In witness whereof we have set our hands and seals the 16 day of April 1736.

In presence of

Nathaniel Dominy,

John Davis.

DANIEL LEEK, [L.s.]

her mark

HANNAH H. L. LEEK, [L.s.]

Acknowledged same day before

SAMUEL HUTCHINSON.

Judge—Wife examined separately from husband.

Entered and compared by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 152.—(Abstract).—To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I,

Icabad Leek of East-Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum or seventeen pounds and four shillings, to me in hand paid by Elisha Conkling of East-Hampton &c. yeoman, have granted and sold unto the said Elisha Conkling and his heirs forever the one thirtieth part of a whole share of the whole land of Meantauk and also one four hundredth part of a whole share of the whole land of Meantauk. To have and to hold the same forever, with warranty.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the fifth day of May 1736.

ICHABAD LEEK, [L.S.]

In presence of
Nathaniel Dominy,
Eliezer Miller,

Acknowledged same day before.

MATTHIAS BURNET.

Entered and compared by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 37.—The proprietors of East-Hampton being met and assembled together May the 13th 1736, and did then agree by major vote that Lewis Conklingshall, have hold, and enjoy two pieces of land, to him, his heirs and assigns forever, to say, one piece at Acabonick landing place, containing three quarters of one acre be it more or less as it is now within the said Conkling's his land and fence, and the other parcel containing three quarters of one acre as it is now fenced, be it more or less joining to his land at the brick-bills and on the right hand of the path as men go to the brick-kills.

Now for and in consideration of the land as abovesaid the said Lewis Conkling doth restgn up and quit himself and his heirs of all his right, title and propriety that he hath by virtue of his fathers grant to him of any meadow land in the

place called the calf-pasture and neck which is now in the possession of Mr. Hunting, I say I quit all right in the same as abovesaid to the proprietors of East-Hampton forever.

The abovesaid is a true record as it was voted on the day abovesaid.

Attest, CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book of Marks, page 25.—Jonathan Conkling entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and one half-penny on the fore side of the right ear and one nick on the under side of the same ear.

Entered May the 31st 1736.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 56½.—Know all men by these presents that I, Daniel Miller of East-Hampton do for myself my heirs and assigns forever hereafter, do now allow and agree with Thomas Talmage of said town that he the said Thomas Talmage his heirs and assigns shall forever hereafter at any time and at all times as he or they may have occasion to pass and repass through my land in Acabonick Neck down to his meadow to cut, secure and cart his hay from his meadow as he or they may have occasion, he the said Talmage, his heirs and assigns always put up the bars or fence when and where he or they shall go through to go down to his meadow.

The abovesaid was agreed on by the said Daniel Miller and Thomas Talmage on the first day of June Anno Dom 1736, and ordered to be entered in this book.

Attest, CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 57.—The commissioners for laying our

highways in the township of East-Hampton did on the 3rd day of June in the year of 1736, lay out the second highways within the town abovesaid as under written.

First—One highway to begin on the highway that runs to the northward of Aron Fithian's close down to the Hand's creek, to say, to the head of Hand's creek, and so to continue to the southwest corner of Samuel Parsons his land or close at or near the harbor, and so to run by the end of Parsons his close to the Three Mile Harbor, and so across the beach to the sound, and to the said harbor's mouth, the said highway to consist of four rods wide to be and lie a highway forever.

And also one highway to begin at the head of Hand's Creek meadow and so to run on a straight line towards Aylewife brook until it comes to a swamp and then to run southwards of and around some part of said swamp until it comes into said straight line and then to continue in said line to Aylewife Brook, the said highway to consist of four rods wide and to be and remain a highway forever on the south side of the brook until it comes to Northwest bay or harbor.

And also one highway to begin 45 poles or rods homewards of the parting of the paths at a place called Mile Hill from Northwest landing place, and to run from Northwest path to to the southwest corner of the 16th lot of land to be laid out which land is already surveyed and lying in Aylewife brook neck, the said highway to consist of four rods wide and to be and remain a highway forever.

And also one highway to begin at the highway that runs down to Northwest landing place, to turn out at the Mile Hill and so to run northerly by and to the corner of William Barnes his meadow to the bank where the whale was tried by Northwest Bay, and from thence a passing highway to and over Aylewife Brook and so to continue to the point of Cedar Beach, the said highway to consist of four rods wide from Northwest path down to Barne's meadow and to the place where

the whale was tried, and from thence to Cedar point only for a passing way. The said highway to consist of four rods wide and to be and remain a highway forever as abovesaid.

And also one highway laid out to begin or turn out of the the Fireplace highway about ten rods southward of a little house owned by Daniel Miller and others, said highway to lie between the fourth and fifth lot to be laid out in that neck, and so to run to the head of the of Hog Creek, and then to run northerly as the fence runs that the fences in Hog Creek meadow to Jonathan King's his land and Daniel Miller's land and then to run eastwardly by the end or front of said King's and Miller's land to the Fireplace highway against William Hedges' a little slanting southerly to come to the Fireplace highway, the said highway to consist of four rods wide and to be and remain a highway forever.

And also one highway laid out to turn out of the highway last abovesaid to begin at the southwesterly corner of Daniel Miller's land, and so to run down to the Flagggy Hole on the east side of said hole down to the bay or Sound, and to be four rods wide, and to be and remain a highway forever.

The highway that runs northerly by Hog creek is to lie on the eastwardly side of the fence that fences in any part or parts of the said meadow.

CORNELIUS CONKLING,
THO. CHATFIELD,
MAT. BURNET,
(Sig.) Commissioners.

Book A, 32 $\frac{1}{2}$.—The commissioners for the laying out highways in the Town of East-Hampton did on the 3d day of June in the year 1736, lgying out the several highways under written.

And one passing highway for men to go to and from their

meadow in little Northwest Neck, consisting of three rods wide to begin at the head of the Red Springs swamp to run as the path now runs to the southeast corner of Daniel Dayton's land, and from thence along by the land and meadow already laid out on the west side of said neck down to the bay or harbor, and to turn from the said Dayton's corner southwesterly along by Thomas Mulford's meadow so far as John Talmage's bars where he goeth into his meadow; the abovesaid to be and remain a highway forever as abovesaid.

And also one passing highway for men to go to and from their meadow on the east side of Little Northwest neck to begin at the head of the Red Spring swamp, and to run northerly joining to the land and meadows already laid out to a swamp that puts out westward into said neck, and so going round the swamp so far as to get into or joining to the said meadow or land laid out, and so to run as the path now runs through Eliphelet Stretton's land down to the beach and harbor or bay. the last abovesaid highway to consist of three rods wide and to be and remain a highway forever.

CORNELIUS CONKLING,
THO. CHATFIELD,
MAT. BURNET,

Commissioners.

Also one passing highway laid out in Acabonick Neck turning out of the highway that leads down to the Fireplace, consisting of two rods wide through the land formerly laid out to Benjamin Osborn, but now in the possession of Joseph Hicks, turning out of the said Fireplace highway on the southwesterly side of Aron Fithian's land joining to the same, and to run from the said Fireplace highway eastwardly down to the northwestwardly part of the meadow that was formerly laid out to Thomas Chatfield but now in the possession of

Josiah Miller, the said highway was laid out by the consent of the said Joseph Hicks, as attest

CORNELIUS CONKLING,
MAT. BURNET.

THO. CHATFIELD,
Commissioners.

Marks 25.—John Parsons the son of Robert Parsons entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and one half-penny on the upper side of each ear and one nick on the under side of the right ear.

Entered June the 10th 1735.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Thomas Chatfield Jr., entereth for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the same ear. Entered June the 29th, 1736.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Theophilus Wilman entereth for his ear mark one nick on the under side of each ear. Entered July the 7th 1736.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Joseph Dibble entereth for his ear mark a crop on each ear and one half-penny on the upper side of the left ear.

Entered September 7th, 1736.

Book G, page 150.—To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that whereas on the sixth day of April last Annoq. d 1736, it being our election day, it was agreed on by a unanimous vote of the tenants in common of the undivided land of the Town of East-Hampton, that there shall be a division of land on our north side of ten acres to one acre commonage and that said division and management be acted by the trustees as by said vote may more plainly appear, and for as much as the major part of said tenants in common did by a writing under their hands agree that the trustees for the time being shall sell some pieces and skirts of land to defray the charges of the said division, therefore we the trustees of the freeholders and commonalty of the town of East-Hampton for the time being have and by virtue of these presents do sell, alienate, convey, and confirm all the several pieces and slips of land hereafter to be expressed unto the several men hereafter to be named, and their several heirs and assigns forever; for and in consideration of the sum of thirty and eight shillings to us the said trustees in hand already paid by Jeremiah Mulford of said town, yeoman, we the aforesaid trustees have and by virtue of these presents have sold, conveyed and confirmed unto the said Jeremiah Mulford and to his heirs and assigns, one slip of land now within his fence, lying along by the highway that goes from the Springs to the corner of Lewis Conkling's close containing about two acres, and all the upland between his meadow and the fence on the east side of Acabonick.

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And likewise for and in consideration of the sum of thirty shillings to us the said trustees already in hand paid by Cornelius Conkling of aforesaid town, yeoman, we the aforesaid trustees have and by virtue of these presents do sell, convey and confirm unto the said Cornelius Conkling and to his heirs and assigns forever, one piece or slip of land containing about two acres lying now within his fence and along

by the highway that leads down to the Fireplace and in Acabonick Neck.

And likewise for and in consideration of the sum of twelve shillings to the said trustees already in hand paid by John Stretton of said town, yeoman, we the aforesaid trustees have and do by virtue of these presents, sell, convey and confirm unto the said John Stretton and to his heirs and assigns forever, one piece of land lying within his fence on the west side of little Northwest Neck containing about three quarters of one acre.

And likewise for and in consideration of the sum of four shillings and six pence to us the said trustees in hand already paid by Elias Mulford of said town, yeoman, we the said trustees have by virtue of these presents sold, conveyed and confirmed unto the said Elias Mulford, and to his heirs and assigns, the one half the northermost half of all the upland and swamp between his meadow and the great meadow fence.

And likewise for and in consideration of the sum of four shillings and six pence to us the said trustees in hand already paid by Aron Fithian and William Osborn of the aforesaid town, Yeoman, we the said trustees by virtue of these presents have sold, conveyed and confirmed unto the said Aron Fithian and William Osborn and to their heirs and assigns forever, the southermost half of all the upland and swamp between Elias Mulford's meadow and the great meadow fence.

And likewise for and in consideration of the sum of eighteen shillings to us the said trustees in hand already paid by Matthias Burnet of said town, yeoman, we the said trustees by virtue of these presents have sold, conveyed and confirmed unto the said Matthias Burnet and to his heirs and assigns forever, all the upland and swamp between both his two pieces of meadow and the great meadow fence at Acabonick, to have and to hold all the aforesaid granted and bargained premises with all the liber-

ties, privileges and appurtenances to the several respective pieces of land belonging or any manner of way appertaining unto every of the several before named and to each of their heirs and assigns forever, as a good free and perfect estate of inheritance in fee simple, and we the aforesaid trustees as trustees for the time being and our successors forever do hereby covenant and bind ourselves and successors to warrant, secure and defend all and every of the abovenamed persons, their heirs and assigns forever in the quiet and peaceable possession and improvement of all the above bargained premises against the just and lawful demands of any person or persons whatsoever, in witness whereof and for sure confirmation of all the premises abovesaid, the said trustees have hereunto set their hands and seals this twenty-first day of December in the tenth year of our Sovereign Lord George the second over Great Britain &c. Anno dominy 1736.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of

Thomas Chatfield Jr.,

Nathaniel Dominy Jr.,

MATTHIAS BURNET, [L.S.]

ISAAC MULFORD, [L.S.]

WILLIAM HEDGES, [L.S.]

DANIEL MILLER, [L.S.]

NATHANIEL DOMINY, [L.S.]

THOMAS MULFORD, [L.S.]

NATHANIEL BAKER, Jr., [L.S.]

The above written is a true copy extracted out of the original deed and compared therewith per me.

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Joseph Rogers entereth for his ear mark one slope on the upper side of the right ear and a half-penny on the under side of the left ear. Joseph Rogers entereth for

his son Joseph Rogers ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear and a half-penny on the under side of each ear.

Entered Dec. the 8th, 1736.

Entered by me CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks 25.—Elisha Conklin Jr., entereth for his ear mark one nick on the under side of the right ear.

Entered Dec. 8th 1736.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 2.—January the 2d 1736-7. Taken up by Capt Matthew Mulford of East-Hampton, hath taken up one yearling small bay horse with a small star in his forehead, said horse sometimes paces and sometimes trots.

Entered by me CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 1.—Jeremiah Mulford entereth for his son Ezekiel his ear mark onenick on the foreside of the left ear and a slit in same ear, and one half-penny on the under side of the right ear.

Entered Jannary the 24th, 1736-7.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book of marks, page 26.—Thomas Osborne the third entereth for his ear mark one half-penny on the under side of the left ear and two slits on the right ear.

Entered January the 4th, 1736-7.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Marks 26.—Eleazer Miller entereth a diamond for his brand mark on the left shoulder and M on the left horn.

Entered February the 25th 1736-7.

Entered by me CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks 26.—John Dominy entereth for his ear mark one half-penny on the under side of the left ear and one nick on the under side of the same ear.

Entered February the 25th, 1736.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Marks 26.—Nathaniel Dominy Jr. entereth for his ear mark a crop on each ear and one half-penny on the under side of the left ear and one half-penny on the upper side of the right ear.

Entered February the 25, 1736-7.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, 12½.—The tenants in common of Meantauk being met together on the 28th day of February annoq. d 1736-7, agreed by major vote, there shall not be any committee chosen to manage Meantauk.

Attest, MAT. BURNET.

Also at the abovesaid meeting it was agreed on by major vote that the management of Meantauk shall be left to the trustees the year ensuing.

Attest, MAT. BURNET.

Page 11½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April the 5th, 1737, it being our election day, and then were chosen for trustees viz. twelve, trustees two constables and two assessors.

Samuel Hudson, Eleazer Miller, Cornelius Conkling Ju., Aron Fithian, Josiah Miller, Daniel Dayton, Samuel Parsons Ju., John Stretten, John Merry, Thomas Osborn Ju., Daniel Baker, Seth Parsons. Elisha Conkling and William Hedges Ju. were chosen assessors. Joseph Hicks and Samuel Parsons Ju. were chosen constables, William Conkling and John Hunting

were chosen fence viewers. Isaac Barnes was chosen collector. Capt. Matthias Burnet was chosen supervisor. Thomas Talmage and Joseph Osborn Ju. were chosen overseers of the poor.

Page 19½.—The freeholders and proprietors of East-Hampton, being legally warned and met together April the 5th, 1737, did then agree by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the time and term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, not having right or not being duly listed and entered according to order of the trustees, shall and are liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind so impounded paying five shillings current money for each horse kind so impounded. On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote of the freeholders and proprietors abovesaid that it is and shall be lawful to impound all neat cattle that shall be found grazing on Meantauk not having right or not being duly listed according to the order of the trustees for the time of one whole year from the date above said, according as it shall be stinted, the owner of all such cattle paying five shillings for each beast so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by Major vote of the freeholders and proprietors abovesaid that it is and shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing on Meantauk without liberty from the trustees for the term of one year from the date abovesaid, the owners of all such swine so impounded paying three shillings for each swine so impounded, the Indians swine only excepted they not exceeding their number.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote as abovesaid that it is and shall be lawful to impound all sheep that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid not having right for the same according to the stint or not being entered according to

the order of the trustees, the owners of all such sheep paying six pence for each sheep so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all horse kind, neat cattle, sheep and swine that shall be found grazing in the fatting field or sheep pasture not having right for the same or without liberty from the trustees, the owners of all horse kind so impounded paying three shillings for each horse and five shillings for each neat beast, and five shillings for each swine, six pence for each sheep so impounded, and two shillings for impounding each weaned calf that shall be found grazing in the fatting field not having right for the same or not being entred according to the order of the trustees.

Also ordered by major vote as abovesaid that the fence at the hither end of Meantauk is to begin at common highwater at the South Sea and so to run across to the North Side or Sound, said fence to be three feet and ten inches high from the south sea as abovesaid to the north side and to run into the North sea or Sound until the water is three feet deep at the end of said fence, shall be and is accounted a sufficient and lawful fence.

Also ordered by major vote on the day abovesaid that the fence that is near Clabord Hill is to run from the clift or bank on the south side to be four feet high from the said clift across to the North Sea or Sound and to run unto said sound until the water is two feet deep at the end of said fence shall be a lawful fence.

Also ordered by major vote that the fatting field fence shall begin at highwater mark at the South Sea and continue four feet high to the other end of the same to be a sufficient and lawful fence. Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that small stone horses running or at Meantauk having two winters past over them are liable to be gelt by the twenty-fifth day of April after the date abovesaid, the ownre

of such horse or horses paying according to the act of Assembly made and provided for that intent.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that four weaned calves shall be equal to one beast in the fattening field. Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day above said that no person shall cut down or any ways destroy or carry off of Meantank any timber, fencing stuff or any wood for the term or one year from the date abovesaid on the penalty of paying for the same according to the act of Assembly made and provided on that respect, without liberty from the trustees of East-Hampton.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine be found grazing in the Indian field after the said field is shut up until the fattening cattle be put into said field, excepting the Indians' own creatures, not exceeding their liberty, may be impounded the owners of all such horse or neat cattle paying five shillings for each horse or neat beast so impounded and three shillings for each swine and six pence for each sheep so impounded such creatures only shall be excepted having liberty from the trustees.

Page 20.—April the 5th, 1737. Agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any horse kind be legally impounded off of Meantauk at any time within the term of one whole year from the date abovesaid and the owner or owners thereof cannot be found in forty-eight hours after their being impounded according to said vote, or no person will appear in that time and pay the poundage as abovesaid, that in such case all such horse kind so impounded may be sold at a public outcry, and after the poundage and charges of sale be deducted the overplus to be returned to the owner if he can be found, or if any person have notice given him or them of their horse or horse kind being impounded

and will not appear and pay the poundage as abovesaid in forty-eight hours after notice given him or them, may be sold in manner as abovesaid.

Agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that 7 sheep shall be and allowed to go on Meantauk the year ensuing in the room of one neat beast.

Agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that one horse kind shall be allowed to go on Meantauk in the year ensuing in the room of two neat cattle. Agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that 70 neat cattle is and shall be the full number to pasture on Meantauk for the year ensuing from the date abovesaid.

Agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that the trustees of this town have full power to agree with and put a man at the hither end of Meantauk to take an account of the cattle and other creatures that are to be put on said land for the time and term of one whole year from the date abovesaid.

Agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that the trustees of this town have full power to agree with and put a man at the fatting field at Meantauk for the time and term of one whole year from the date abovesaid.

The proprietors of Meantauk being met together, December the 29th, 1737, and did then agree by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Meantauk after the fourth day of January next ensuing until the first day of March next ensuing, the stone horses only excepted, shall and are liable to be impounded, the owner or owners paying three shillings for each horse so impounded.

Marks 26.—Daniel Osborne entereth for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and two slits in the same ear and one slit in the right ear. Entered April the 6th. 1737.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

26.—Daniel Osborne entereth for his son Daniel his ear mark a crop on the right ear, and two slits in the same ear and one slit in the left ear.

Entered April the 7th, 1737.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book of marks, page 26.—Thomas Osborne the third son of Joseph Osborne Jr. entereth for his ear mark one slit in each ear and one half-penny on the under side of the left ear. Entered April the 15th, 1737.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

26.—The abovesaid Thomas Osborne entereth for his brand mark for all sorts of creatures T O on the left shoulder and on the left horn of cattle and sheep.

Entered April the 16th, 1737.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 32½.—The commissioners for laying out highways in East-Hampton did on the 24th day of June in the year 1737, laying out one highway to begin at the corner of Peter Murdock's home lot, from thence to go down to the Three Mile Harbor down to the common landing place on the west side of the head of said harbor to the place where John Merry's fence now runs into said harbor, consisting of nine rods wide where the cart path is now, down from said Murdock's corner to the said Merry's fence on the west side of the head of said harbor, the said highway to be and remain a highway forever. Attest

CORNELIUS CONKLING,

MAT. BURNET,

THO. CHATFIELD,

Commissioners.

Book A, page 35.—Whereas the Commissioners for laying out highways in East-Hampton did on the 24th day of June, 1737, lay out one highway consisting of nine rods wide to begin at the east corner of Peter Murdock's home lot, from thence down to the Three Mile Harbor, and so on to the west side of the head of said harbor to the place where John Merry's fence runs into said harbor, and whereas the said Merry doth request and desire that he may remove his water-fence south-westwardly to a more convenient place for his securing of his land, therefore we the underwritten do allow the abovesaid John Merry to remove his fence and to run it into the head of said harbor, he the said Merry keeping a pair of bars where the path now is allowing all persons to go or cart through the same to the water or landing place as they may have occasion from time to time to pass and repass to the said harbor abovesaid.

CORNELIUS CONKLING,
THO. CHATFIELD,
Commissioners.

Marks 26.—Samnel Merry entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the right ear and a swallow tail on the left ear.

Entered August the 3d, 1737.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

26.—Jonathan King entereth for his ear mark an ell on the fore or upper side of each ear. Entered August the 3rd, 1737.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 5.—Daniel Edwards brought a wild cat's head August the 11th, 1737—0-4-0.

Marks 26.—John Mitchell of South-Hampton entereth for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of each ear.

Entered November the 4th, 1737.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 5.—Joseph Dibble brought a wild cat's head November the 21, 1737—0-4-0.

Constant Havens brought a wild cat's head December the 9th, 1737—0-4-0.

Capt. Matthew Mulford one wild cat's head January the 4th, 1737—0-4-0.

Book E, page 2.—Elisha Conkling hath taken up a yearling mare of a brown color on the 5th day of January, 1737-8.

Book of Marks 26.—Daniel Leeke entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the left ear and an ell on the upper side of the right.

Entered Jan. the 18th, 1737-8.

Per CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

(Crossed.)

Marks 26.—Josiah Miller entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and half-penny on the upper side of the left ear.

Entered February the 15th, 1737-8.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Page 27.—John Hedges entereth for his ear mark one slit in the left ear and one half-penny on the under side of the same ear.

Entered March the 16, 1767-8.

Marks 27.—John Hedges entereth for his son Josiah his

ear mark one slit in the left ear and one half-penny on the under side of the same ear and one half-penny on the upper side of the right ear, all the abovesaid two ear marks were entered on the 16th of March, 1737-8.

By me CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 20½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April 4th, 1738, were then chosen for 'Trustee, Constables and Assessors viz.: Elisha Conkling, Capt. Matthias Burnet, Capt. Nathaniel Hunting, Daniel Osborne, William Hedges, Nathaniel Baker Ju., Jeremiah Mulfords Joseph Conkling, Thomas Mulford, Stephen Hedges, Giddion Hedges, Eliphelet Stretton. Lion Gardiner and Nathan Dayton were chosen Assessors, Isaac Barnes J. was chosen Collector. Capt Matthias Burnet was chosen Supervisor. Timothy Mulford and Capt. Matthew Mulford were chosen Overseers of the Poor. Seth Parsons and Robert More were chosen fence viewers. Samuel Parsons Ju. and Joseph Hicks were chosen Constables.

James Hand and Daniel Leek are chosen to put out the fire in the woods and to call men out to assist them in putting out the fire.

Edward Jones and Stephen Hedges, Aron Fithian and Samuel Parsons Ju. and Henry Conkling and Elias Mulford, the last six men are impowered to put out the fire in the woods as fully as the other two are abovesaid and what time is spent in that work shall be allowed in the town rate.

Page 21.—The freeholders and proprietors of East-Hampton being legally met and assembled together April the 4th, 1738, and did then agree by major vote that all horse-kind that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the time and term of one whole year from the date abovesaid not having right or not being duly listed and entered according to the

order of the trustee of this town, shall be and are liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind so impounded paying five shillings current money for each horse so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was also agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all neat cattle that shall be found grazing on Meantauk not having right or not being duly entered according to the order of the trustees for the term of whole year from the date abovesaid, according as it shall be stinted, the owner or owners of all neat cattle so impounded paying five shillings for each neat beast so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing on Meantauk without liberty from the trustees for the time of one year from the, date abovesaid the owner or owners of all swine so impounded paying three shillings for each swine so impounded, the Indians' swine only excepted, they the said Indians not exceeding their number.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all sheep that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid not having right for the same or not being duly entered according to the stint, the owners of all sheep so impounded paying six pence for each sheep so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all horse kind, neat cattle, sheep and swine that shall be found grazing in the fatting field or sheep pasture not having right for the same and or without liberty from the trustees the owner and owners, paying for each horse five shillings, for each neat beast three shillings for each swine three shillings, and six pence for each sheep so impounded or not having liberty from the trustees.

And two shillings for each weaned calf that shall be found grazing in the fatting field if impounded not having liberty from the trustees.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the fence is to begin at the hither end of Meantauk at common high water at the South Sea and to run across to the North Sea or Sound, said fence to be three feet and ten inches high from the South Sea abovesaid to the North Sea or Sound and to run into the North Sea or Sound until the water is three feet deep at the end of said fence, shall be accounted a sufficient and lawful fence.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the fence that is near Clabord Hill is to run from the bank or clift on the south side to be four feet high from the said clift on the south side across to the North Sea or Sound and to run into water until the water two feet deep at the end of of said fence shall be a lawful and sufficient fence.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that four weaned calves shall be equivalent to one neat beast in the fatting field.

Also ordered by major vote that no person or persons shall cut down or any ways destroy or carry off of Meantauk any timber, fencing stuff, or any wood for the term of one year from the date abovesaid on the penalty of paying for the same according to the act of Assembly without liberty from the trustees.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that all small stone horses running or ranging on Meantauk having two winters passed over them are liable to be gelt after the 25 day of April. After the date abovesaid the owner or owners of all horses goled as abovesaid paying according to the Act of Assembly made and provided for that intent.

All the abovesaid votes were agreed on by major vote on the day first above written.

APRIL the 4th, 1738.

Page 21½.—Also then agreed on by major vote that if any horse kind be legally impounded off of Meantauk at any time within the term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, and the owner or owners thereof cannot be found in forty-eight hours after their being impounded according to said vote or no person will appear in that time and pay the poundage according to said vote, that in such case all such horse kind so impounded may be sold at a public outcry, and after the poundage, which is five shillings and charges of sale be deducted, the overplus, if any be, to be returned to the owner if he can be found, or if any person have notice given him or them of their horse or horse kind being impounded and will not agree and pay the poundage as abovesaid in forty-eight hours after notice given him or them, may be sold in manner as abovesaid.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine be found grazing in the Indian field after the said field is shut up until the fattening cattle be put into said field, excepting the Indians' own creatures, they not exceeding their liberty, may be impounded, the owners of all such horse kind or neat beast paying five shillings for each horse kind or neat beast so impounded, and three shillings for each swine, and six pence for each sheep so impounded; such creatures only shall be excepted having liberty from the Trustees of this town. On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the Trustees have full power to agree with a man to keep at the hither end of Meantauk to take an account of the cattle and other creatures that are to be put on said land for the term of one year from the date abovesaid. On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the Trustees shall and have full power to agree with a man to keep the fattening field at Meantauk for the term of one year from the date abovesaid.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that one horse kind shall go on Meantauk in the room of two neat cattle for the term one year from the date abovesaid.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that 72 neat cattle shall be the full number to go on Meantauk to one whole share for the term of one whole year.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that 7 sheep shall go on Meantauk in the room of one neat beast.

On the day first above written it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors of Meantauk then met together that the management of Meantauk is left to the Trustees of this Town for the term of one year from the date first above written. The above written is and are true copies of the votes passed as above by the proprietors of Meantauk.

Attest CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 142.—Whereas we, Daniel Miller and Jonathan King, both of Easthampton, did purchase four pieces or lots of land lying in the bounds of Easthampton at a place called the Fireplace, lying between the Flaggy hole and Hog creek, to be equally divided between us: first, one lot containing 12 acres and one half: secondly, one lot containing 8 acres and one quarter; thirdly, one lot containing 14 acres; fourth, lot containing 8 acres and one quarter. Now for the preventing of any difference that may hereafter arise concerning the dividing of the abovesaid parcels of land, we, the said Daniel Miller and Jonathan King do agree and divide the said parcels of land as followeth: First lot. Daniel Miller to have and to hold one half of said lot on the East side, to him, his heirs and assigns forever, and Jonathan King to have and to hold one half of said first lot on the West side, to him, his heirs and assigns forever. Second lot. Jonathan King to have and to hold one half of said lot on the East side, to him, his

heirs and assigns forever, and Daniel Miller to have and to hold one half of said second lot on the West side to him, his heirs and assigns forever. Third lot. Daniel Miller to have and to hold one half of said third lot on the East side, to him and to his heirs and assigns forever. And Jonathan King to have and to hold one half of said third lot on the West side, to him, his heirs and assigns forever.

Fourth lot. Jonathan King to have and to hold one half of said fourth lot on the East side, to him, his heirs and assigns forever. And Daniel Miller to have and to hold one half of said fourth lot on the West side, to him, his heirs and assigns forever. The abovesaid parcels of land being already divided and staked on all sides by us already, and to remain as abovesaid according to the true intent and meaning thereof, as witness our hands the eighth day of April Annoquid 1738.

Know all men by these presents that we Daniel Miller and Jonathan King do oblige ourselves, each to the other that if we or either of us are hereafter molested in the quiet possession of any part of said four lots by any person or persons laying claim to the same, we do oblige ourselves to each other to bear our equal charge in the defending the same, as attest our hands the 8th day of April Annoqui dom 1738.

Signed in the presence of me,

DANIEL MILLER,

JONATHAN KING. (Sig.)

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G, 107.—These may certify that we the subscribers of these presents do hereby give unto Josiah Osborne and to his heirs and assigns forever, all our right and title to one certain piece of land lying at Wainscot, containing about half

one acre to begin at the northwest corner of his land, and so to run northwestwardly as his line runs eight rods, and from thence eastwardly about twenty rods to join his fence again, as witness our hands Annoqid 1738 :

Robert More,	Matthias Burnet,
Seth Parsons,	Cornelius Conkling,
William Edwards,	Joseph Conkling,
Samuel Hudson,	Elisha Conkling,
John Hunting,	Nath'l. Baker, Jr.,
Aron Fithian,	Thomas Chatfield,
John Davis,	Eleazer Miller,
Thomas Davis,	William Hedges, Jr.,
Lion Gardiner,	Nathan Miller,
Daniel Osborne,	Tho. Osborne, Jr.,
Jeremiah Mulford,	Jacob Schellinx,
Thomas Mulford,	Isaac Barns, Jr.,
Giddi ^{on} Hedges,	Elias Mulford,
Matt. Mulford,	Lewis Conkling,
Samuel Parsons,	Samuel Mulford,
Icabod Leeke,	David Conkling,
Richard Bayly,	Nathaniel Hunting,
John Conkling,	Daniel Baker,
Samuel Parsons,	John Diamant,
John Parsons,	Thomas Fyler,
Robert Parsons,	Noah Barns,
John Mulford,	John Hedges,
John Squier,	Lemuel Hedges,
William Osborne,	Edward Hunting,
Joseph Osborne,	Will. Hedges,
Josiah Miller,	Nathaniel Hunting,

Thomas Talmage.

Book A, page 40.—Know all men by these presents that we Daniel Miller and Cornelius Conkling both of East-Hamp-

ton in the county of Suffolk and Colony of New-York, in America, yeomen, have exchanged certain parcels of meadow to each other as followeth : Daniel Miller hath delivered into the possession of the said Cornelius Conkling one acre and half of meadow at a place called Acabonick Neck, bounded by the meadow and upland of the said Daniel Miller northeast wardly and northwestwardly, and by the meadow of Lewis Conkling southwest, and by the creek southeastwardly, to have and to hold the said acre and a half of meadow to him the said Cornelius Conkling and to his heirs and assigns forever.

For and in consideration of the same as abovesaid, I the abovesaid Cornelius Conkling have delivered into the possession of the abovesaid Daniel Miller all my right, title and interest that I have in and unto all the several parcels of meadow-ground at a place called Hog Creek in the bound of East-Hampton, the said Daniel Miller to have and to hold the said meadow as abovesaid to him the Daniel Miller and to his heirs and assigns forever, as witness our hands in East-Hampton this thirteenth day of June Annoqui dominy 1738.

DANIEL MILLER,

CORNELIUS CONKLING, (Sig.)

Marks 26.—Cyrus Indian entereth for his ear mark two half-pennies on the under side of the right ear and one slit in the left ear. Entered September the 15th 1738.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Marks 27.—Gideon Hedges entereth for his ear mark one slit in the right ear and one half-penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered September the 15th 1738.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Page 27.—William Conklin entereth for his brand mark for horse kind a diamond on the right shoulder entereth September the 19th 1738.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 01.—Josiah Topping of the parish of Bridge-Hampton declareth that he hath in his possession one dark colored bay yearling mare with a star in the forehead. If any person can claim the same he may be informed of the same by me Josiah Topping. Entered September the 23d 1738, per me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 21½.—The proprietors of Meantauk being met together December the 6th 1738 and did then agree by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Meantauk after the thirteenth day of this instant December until the first day of March next ensuing shall and are liable to be impounded the owner or owners paying three shillings for each horse kind so impounded the stone horses only excepted.

Page 22.—The proprietors of all undivided lands in the bounds of East-Hampton being met together December the 6th 1738 did then agree by major vote that there shall be a division of all common land in this town bounds excepting the stated commons the said land to be laid out in two division.

Marks 27.—Samuel Mulford Jr. entereth for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the left ear and a crop on the right ear and for his brand mark S M on the left shoulder.

Entered January the 2d 1738-9.

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G, 153—(Abstract.)—To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I David Pierson of Southampton &c, blacksmith for and in consideration of the sum of six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, to me in hand paid by Josiah Osborne of East-Hampton &c., weaver, have granted and sold into the said Josiah Osborue and his heirs forever, one acre and one third part of one acre commonage in all the undivided land throughout the township of East-Hampton westward of Meantauk. To have and to hold the same forever and do warrant to defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 26th day of March 173S-9.

DAVID PIERSON, [L.S.]

In presence of

Matthew Mulford,

John Merry,

Acknowledged same day before

THOMAS CHATFIELD, Judge.

Entered and compared by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book of marks, page 27.—Daniel Edwards entereth for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the left ear and a crop on the right ear. Entered March the 27th 1739.

Entered by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 22½. At a legal town meeting held in East-Hampton April the 3d 1739, were then chosen for trustees as followeth: Mr. Eleazer Miller, Mr. Samuel Hudson, Cornelius Conkling, Ju., David Conkling, Thomas Osborn Ju., Aron

Fithian, Daniel Dayton, William Hedges, Ju., Josiah Miller, Isaac Mulford, John Hunting, Nathan Dayton. Joseph Hicks and Nathan Conkling were chosen Constables.

Nathaniel Baker and Thomas Talmage were chosen Assessors.

Henry Hudson was chosen collector. William Osborne and Samuel Parsons Jr. were chosen overseers of the poor.

Mr. Eleazer Miller was chosen Supervisor.

Lion Gardiner and William Conkling were chosen fence viewers.

Page 23.—The freeholders and proprietors of East-Hampton being legally met and assembled together April the 3rd 1739 and did then agree by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the ensuing year not having right or not being duly listed and entered according to the order of the trustees of this town shall be and are liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind so impounded paying five shillings current money for each horse kind so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all neat cattle that shall be found grazing on Meantauk not having right or not being duly entered according to the order of the trustees for the ensuing year according as it shall be stinted the owner or owners of all such neat cattle so impounded, paying five shillings for each neat beast so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing on Meantauk without liberty from the trustees for the time of one year from the date abovesaid the owner or owners of all swine so impounded paying three shillings for each swine so impounded, the Indian's swine only excepted, they the said Indians not exceeding their number. On the

the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all sheep that shall be found grazing on Meantauk for the ensuing year not having right for the same or not being dnyly entred according to the stint the owners of all sheep so impounded paying six pence for each sheep so impounded. On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all horse kind neat cattle sheep an swine that shall be found grazing in the fattig field or sheep pasture for the year ensuing not having right for the same and not being entered according to order of the trustees the owner or owners paying for each horse five shillings, for each neat beast three shillings, for each swine three shillings and six pence for each sheep so impounded or not having liberty from the trustees. And two shillings for each weaned calf that shall be found grazing if impounded not having liberty from the trustees. On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the fence is to begin at the hither end of Meantauk at common high water at the south sea, and so to run across to the North Sea or Sound the said fence, to be three feet and ten inches high or any other fence equivalent from the south sea abovesaid to the North Sea or Sound and to run into the North Sea or Sound until the water is three feet deep at the end of said fence, shall be accounted a sufficient and lawful fence.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the fence that is near Clabord Hill is to run from the bank or clift on the south side to be three feet and ten inches high from the said clift, on the south side, across to the North Sea or Sound and to run into the water until the water is two feet deep at the end of said fence, shall be accounted a sufficient and lawful fence. On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that four weaned calves shall be equivalent to one neat beast in the fattig field. Also ordered by major vote that no person or persons shall cut down or any ways

destroy or carry off of Meantauk any timber, fencing stuff or any wood for the term of one year from the date abovesaid, on the penalty of paying for the same according to the act of assembly, without liberty from the trustees.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that all small stone horses running or ranging on Meantauk having two winters past over them are liable to be gelt after the 25th day of April after the date abovesaid the owner or owners of all horses gelt as abovesaid paying recording to the Act of Assembly made and provided for that intent, the town stallions only excepted. Also

April 3d, 1739.

Page 23½.—Also then agreed on by major vote that if any horse kind be legally impounded off of Montauk at any time within the year ensuing, the owner thereof cannot be found in forty-eight hours after their being impounded, according to said vote, that in such cases all such horse kind so impounded. If no person will appear and pay the poundage according to said vote, may be sold at public outcry, and after the poundage, which is five shillings, and charges of sale be deducted, the overplus, if any be, to be returned to the owner if any be; or if any person have notice given him or them of their horse or horse kind being impounded, and will not appear and pay the poundage as abovesaid in forty-eight hours after notice given him or them, may be sold in manner as abovesaid. Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid, that if any horse hind, neat cattle, sheep or swine be found grazing in the Indian field after the said field is shut up until the fattening cattle be put into said field, excepting the Indians' their liberty, may be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind and neat cattle paying five shillings for each horse kind or neat beast so impounded and three shillings for each swine and six pence for each sheep so

impounded, such creatures only shall be excepted, having liberty from the trustees of this town.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the Trustees have full power to agree with a man to keep at the hither end of Montauk to take an account of the eattle and other creatures that are to be put on said land for the term of one year from the date abovesaid.

Book E, page 23 $\frac{1}{2}$.—On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the Trustees shall and have full power to agree with a man to keep the fatting field at Montauk for the term of one year from the date abovesaid.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that one horse kind shall go on Montauk in the room of two neat cattle.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that 72 neat cattle shall be the full number to go on Montauk to one whole share for the year ensuing.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that seven sheep shall go on Montauk in the room of one neat beast.

On the day above written it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors of Montank then met together, that the whole management of Montauk is left to the Trustees of this town for the time of one year from the date first above written.

Marks, page 27.—Jeremiah Mulford entereth for his son's ear mark a crop on the left ear and one half penny on the upper side of the same ear, and one half penny on the under side of the right ear. Entered April 3d, 1739, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 27.—Samuel Parsons Jr entereth for his ear one

half penny on the upper side of the right ear. Entered April 3d, 1739, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 27.—John Squires entereth for his son Nathan's ear mark a slope on the under side of the left ear and one half penny on the upper side of the right ear. Entered April 3d, 1739, by me,

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 27.—Stephen Hedges entereth for his ear mark one slit in the left ear and one half penny on the under side of the same ear and a slope on the under side of the right ear. Entered April 3d, 1739, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 28.—Capt. Nathaniel Hunting entereth for his son Nathaniel's ear mark a hollow crop or swallow tail on the right and a slit in the left ear. Entered April 5th, 1739, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 28.—Nathan Dayton entereth for his ear mark a crop on each ear and one nick on the under side of the left ear.

Nathan Dayton Entereth for his son Samuel's ear mark a crop on each ear and a half penny on the under side of the left ear and one slit in the right ear.

Nathan Dayton entereth for his son Nathan's ear mark a crop on the left ear and a hollow crop on the right ear.

The three ear marks above written were entered May the 16th, 1739, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 5.—Nathaniel Talmage brought a
 wild cat's head September the 20th, 1739.....0 4 0
 Jeremiah Talmage, one wild cat's head.....0 4 0

Marks, page 28.—William Rogers, of Southampton. enter-
 eth for his ear mark one slope on the upper side of the right
 ear. Entered September 26th, 1739, by me,

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Jonathan King, one wild cat's head, Oct. 23, 1739..0 4 0
 Cornelius Conkling, one wild cat's head, Nov. 25, 1739 0 4 0

Book E, page 23½.—The proprietors of Montauk being met
 together December 4th, 1739, and did then agree by major
 vote that it shall be lawful to impound all horse kind that
 shall be found grazing on Montauk or ranging on the said land
 after the twenty-fifth day of this instant December, until the
 tenth day of March next ensuing, shall be liable to be im-
 pounded, the owners of all horse kind so impounded paying
 three shillings for each horse so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that
 the Trustees shall and have power to order when the sheep
 shall be put into the sheep pasture and when they shall be
 taken out of said pasture, at any time or times.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed by major vote of the
 proprietors of all undivided land in the bound of Easthampton
 that there shall be a division of land in this town bounds and
 it is agreed on by major vote that the Trustees are impowered
 to lay out the same according to their discretion.

Book E, page 5.—Elias Hand, one wild cat's head, Decem-
 ber 23, 1739—0 4 0.

Book A, page 26.—Know all men by these presents that I,

William Hedges, Junior, of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk and colony of New-York, in America, yeoman, do for and in consideration of the sum of ten shillings current money of the colony abovesaid, to me in hand already paid by Jeremiah Conkling, Jr., of the town, county and colony abovesaid; now know ye that I, the abovesaid William Hedges, for and in consideration of the sum abovesaid, do firmly bind and oblige myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, by these presents to set up, keep and maintain forever hereafter, so much fence on the northeast side of the lane that is between Thomas Mulford's home lot and the home lot of the said William Hedges, to say, so much fence as doth belong to four acre commonage that did belong to the abovesaid Jeremiah Conkling to maintain, so as to acquit and discharge the said Jeremiah Conkling, his heirs, executors and administrators forever, hereafter, from any former obligations wherein the abovesaid Jeremiah Conkling, his heirs, executors or administrators forever, wherein the said Jeremiah Conkling was obliged to maintain the said fence, and for the sure confirmation and performance as abovesaid, I the abovesaid William Hedges have hereunto set my hand in Easthampton the thirty-first day of December, Annoq Dominy, 1739.

[Sig] WM. HEDGES, JUR.

Book A, page 26.—Know all men by these presents that I William Hedges, Junior, of Easthampton, in the County of Suffolk and Colony of New-York, in America, yeoman, do for and in consideration of the sum of two shillings and six pence current money of the Colony abovesaid to me in hand paid by Elisha Conkling of the Town, County and Colony abovesaid, yeomau, now know ye that I the abovesaid William Hedges for and in consideration of the sum abovesaid do firmly bind and ablige myself, my heirs, executors and admin-

istrators by these presents to set up and maintain forever hereafter so much fence on the northeast side of the lane that is between Thomas Mulford's home lot of the said William Hedges' home lot, to say, so much as doth belong to one acre commonage that did belong to the abovesaid Elisha Conkling to maintain, so as to acquit and fully discharge the said Elisha Conkling, his heirs, executors and administrators forever hereafter, from any former obligation wherein the abovesaid Elisha Conkling, his heirs, executors and administrators were obliged to do to maintain said fence. And for the sure confirmation and performance as abovesaid, I the abovesaid William Hedges have hereunto set my hand in Easthampton the thirty-first day of December, annoqr dominy, 1739.

WM. HEDGES, JUR.

Book E, page 5.—Luis Conkling, one wild cat's head, January 28th, 1739—0 4 0.

Book E, page 31.—Pursuant to a major vote bearing date February 6th, 1739-40, wherein the Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of Easthampton, were impowered to lay out a division of land in this town and for the performing of the said Division, the said Trustees did order and appoint Jeremiah Mulford, Daniel Dayton and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., to lay out the same; first they laid out a division of five acres of land to one acre commonage, and to lay out such highways as they shall think convenient for every man to come to his land. And first we laid out a highway from Amagansett to a place called Abraham's landing consisting of four poles wide along the path that goeth to the Brickkils to the cliff southward of the fresh pond.

And one highway along the path that goeth from Amagansett to Barne's hole, consisting of four pole wide.

Then we laid out the first, second and third lots.

1st lot was drawn by Capt. Matthias Burnet, 65 acres, bounded southwardly by the highway to Abraham's Landing, eastwardly by the bank, northwardly by Elias Mulford's and Jonathan Baker's swamps, westwardly partly by Isaac Barnes' land and partly by Daniel Baker's land.

2d lot drawn by Elias Mulford, 65 acres, in two pieces. The first piece, 36 acres, is bounded southwardly by Capt. Burnet and Jonathan Baker's swamp, eastwardly by the cliff, northwardly by the highway that goeth from the Brickkils to the cliff, westwardly by a swamp. We laid out a passing highway across this first piece of Elias Mulford's and across Capt. Burnett's lot to the path called Abraham's path. The second piece in 30 acres, and is bounded southwardly by Capt. Burnett's brickkill land, and part by common land, eastwardly by the cliff, northwardly by David Conkling's land westwardly by Elias Mulford's own land.

3d lot, David Conkling, 30 acres, bounded southwardly by Elias Mulford, eastwardly by the cliff, northwardly Joseph Hickey and westwardly by a swamp. Joseph Hickey 15 acres, bounded southwardly by David Conkling, eastwardly by the cliff, northwardly by John Edwards, and westwardly by a swamp. John Edwards, 30 acres, bounded southwardly by Joseph Hickey, eastwardly by the cliff, northwardly by Barnes' hole highway, and westwardly by a swamp. Then we laid out a passing road from Barnes' hole highway across the west end of John Edwards', Joseph Hicks', David Conkling's and Elias Mulford's lands, heading the swamps, to Capt Burnet's Brickiln land. Then we laid out a highway along by the ten acre division from Amagansett, two holes of water to old Acaboneck path, six poles wide. And we laid out old Acaboneck highway six poles wide as far as to the ten acre division or to Eleazer Miller's lot.

- 4th lot, Daniel Baker, 25 acres, bounded eastwardly by common land, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly by William Hedges, southwardly partly by Jonathan Baker's land, partly by Joseph Hicks' land, partly by Josiah Miller's land, and partly by John Edwards' land. William Hedges, one quarter and five poles, bounded eastwardly by Daniel Baker, northward by cross highway, westwardly by Isaac Barnes, and southwardly by John Edwards' land. Isaac Barnes, $39\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 35 poles, bounded eastwardly by William Hedges, northerly by the cross highway, westwardly by Samuel Parsons, Jr., and southerly is part by John Edwards, part by Samuel Dayton, partly by Aaron Fithian and partly by John Mulford's land.

Page 31 $\frac{1}{2}$.—5th lot, Samuel Parsons, Jr., half an acre and 5 poles, bounded eastwardly by Isaac Barnes, northwardly by a high way, westwardly by Henry Conkling, and southwardly by John Mulford. Henry Conkling, $12\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded eastwardly by Samuel Parsons, Jr., northwardly by a highway, westwardly by Eleazer Miller, and southwardly by John Mulford. Eleazer Miller, $33\frac{1}{3}$ poles, bounded eastwardly by Henry Conkling, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly by Thomas Osborne, and southwardly by John Mulford. Thomas Osborne, $16\frac{1}{2}$ acres, $26\frac{2}{3}$ poles, bounded eastwardly by Eleazer Miller, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly by Jacob Schellinx, and southerly by John Mulford. Jacob Schellinx, 35 acres, bounded southwardly part by John Mulford and part by Joseph Dibble, eastwardly by Thomas Osborne, northwardly by a highway, and westwardly by Samuel Hedges. Samuel Hedges, 15 poles, bounded eastwardly by Jacob Schellinx, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly by Jonathan Baker, southwardly by Joseph Dibble.

6th lot, Jonathan Baker, 16 acres, bounded eastwardly by Samuel Hedges, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting, and southwardly by Joseph Dibble. Mr. Hunting $2\frac{3}{4}$ acres, and bounded eastwardly by Jonathan Baker, northwardly by the highway, westwardly by Lewis Conkling, southwardly by Joseph Dibble. David Conkling 2 acres and 20 poles, bounded eastwardly by Mr. Hunting, northwardly and westwardly by Lewis Conkling, southwardly by Joseph Dibble. Lewis Conkling 45 acres and 20 poles, bounded eastwardly partly by David Conkling and partly by Mr. Hunting, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly partly by the 7th lot that Isaac Mulford, Edward Hunting and Samuel Russill drew, and partly by Timothy Mulford and partly by the heirs of Capt. Gardiner's land, southwardly by a highway that goes from old Accabonac path to Robert Parsons' bars, which highway we laid out three poles on the north side of the path and three poles on the South side of the path, where the old division did not come near that three poles. And we laid out a highway only to pass and re-pass out of the highway last mentioned across the sixth and fifth lots to run to the northward of Joseph Dibble's land.

7th lot, Isaac Mulford $27\frac{1}{2}$ acres, and Edward Hunting $27\frac{1}{2}$ acres, and and Samuel Russill 10 acres; in general bounded southwardly by the highway that goes to Robert Parsons' bars of his Amagansett close, eastwardly by Lewis Conkling, northwardly by the heirs of Capt. Gardiner's land, and westwardly by old Accabonac highway. Then we proceeded to a third tract of land that lies between the two Accabonac paths and we laid out the new Accabonac highway six poles wide so far as to the 10 acre division, and we laid out a cross highway from the old Accabonac path straight over to the two holes of water by the new highway or path six poles wide.

8th lot, John Parsons the fourth, 45 acres, John Conkling 12½ acres, and Nathan Miller 7½ acres; and in general bounded eastwardly by old Accabonac highway, northwardly by Joseph Osborne's lot, westwardly by the new Accabonac highway, and southwardly by Eliakim Coukling's land. This last lot above written was drawn by Joseph Conkling, Edward Jones and Thomas Fyler, and was exchanged with the persons above named for the 43d lot.

Page 32.—9th lot, Eliakim Conkling 5 acres, bounded eastwardly by old Accabonac highway, northwardly by the 8th lot that John Parsons the 4th, John Conkling and Nathan Miller drew, northwardly by the Fireplace highway, southwardly by Beriah Dayton. Beriah Dayton 23 acres and ½, bounded eastwardly by Accabonac old highway, northwardly by Eliakim Conkling, westwardly by the Fireplace highway, and southwardly by Robert More. Robert More 17½ acres, bounded eastwardly by old Accabonac highway, northwardly by Beriah Dayton, westwardly by the Fireplace highway, southwardly by Daniel Leeke. Daniel Leeke 19 acres, bounded eastwardly by old Accabonac highway, northwardly by Robert More, westwardly by the Fireplace highway, southwardly by the heirs of Capt. Gardiner's land.

10th lot, the heirs of Capt. Samuel Gardiner 65 acres, bounded southwardly by the cross highway, eastwardly by old Accabonac highway, northwardly by Daniel Leeke, westwardly by the Fireplace highway.

11th lot, Timothy Mulford 65 acres, bounded eastwardly by old Accabonac highway, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly by the Fireplace highway, southwardly by the additions laid out to the 8th and 9th lots. Then we laid

out the land between the Fireplace highway and the Three Mile Harbor highway, and in the first place we laid out a highway to the Three Mile Harbor highway upon a straight line from the north side of the two holes of water to the said harbor highway about 28 rods southward of the head of the harbor, and we allowed the harbor highway to be three poles wide on the east side of the path and 17 poles on the west side of the path.

13th lot, Henry Hudson 5 acres, bounded northwardly by Nathaniel Dominy's land, westwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by Daniel Osborn, Jr., and eastwardly by the Fireplace highway. Daniel Osborn, Jr., $5\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 26 poles, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Henry Hudson, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Samuel Hudson. Samuel Hudson $54\frac{1}{2}$ acres and $26\frac{1}{3}$ poles of land, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Henry Hudson, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Robert Parsons' land.

Page 32 $\frac{1}{2}$.—14th lot, Robert Parsons 40 acres, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace path, northwardly by Samuel Hudson, westwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by Samuel Parsons' land. Samuel Parsons 25 acres, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Robert Parsons' land, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by the highway that goes across from the Fireplace to the harbor path.

15th lot, Thomas Dibble $7\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded eastwardly by common land, northwardly by the cross highway that goes from the harbor path to the Fireplace path, westwardly by

the harbor highway, and Southwardly by Jeremiah Mulford's land. Jeremiah Mulford, $42\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded eastwardly partly by common land and partly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Thomas Dibble, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Mr. Hunting. $8\frac{1}{4}$ acres and $6\frac{2}{3}$ poles, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Jeremiah Mulford, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Charles Glover. Charles Glover $6\frac{1}{4}$ acres, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Mr. Hunting, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Mr. Thomas Chatfield's land. Mr. Thomas Chatfield $\frac{1}{4}$ of one acre and $33\frac{1}{3}$ poles, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Charles Glover, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by the heirs of William Barns, deceased.

16th lot, the heirs of William Barns $22\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Justice Chatfield, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Daniel Edwards. Daniel Edwards 11 acres $28\frac{1}{3}$ poles, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by the heirs of William Barns, westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Daniel Osborn, Jr. Daniel Osborn, Jr., $9\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 25 poles, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Daniel Edwards, westwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by Daniel Osborn, Senior. $21\frac{1}{2}$ acres and $26\frac{2}{3}$ poles, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Daniel Osborn, Jr., westwardly by the harbor highway, and southwardly by Aaron Fithian.

17th lot, Aaron Fithian 35 acres, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Aaron Fithian, westwardly by Samuel Hudson's swamp land, and southwardly by Jane Conkling. Jane Conkling 15 acres, bounded eastward-

ly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Benja Leeke, westwardly by Mr. Samuel Hudson's round swamp close, and southwardly by Jeremiah Conkling. Jeremiah Conkling 10 acres, bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, northwardly by Jane Conkling, westwardly by Samuel Hudson's round swamp land, and southwardly partly by the 13th, 14th and 15th additions.

We laid out a passing road around on the east side of Samuel Hudson's round swamp close, crossing the 15th addition and crossing Jeremiah Conkling's land, Jane Conkling's land, and Benja Leeke's land, and part of Aaron Fithirn's land.

Page 33.—The 18th lot is the last lot in the 2d division. Then we proceeded to the fifth tract of land that lies between the harbor highway and Aylewife brook highway; in the first place we allowed the harbor highway to be about 16 poles wide on the west side of the path until it comes to the round swamp at the parting of the paths, and then that path that goes to Dominy's land to be three poles on each side of the path as far as to the land that Nathaniel Dominy bought of the town, or to Capt. Burnet's land; then we laid out Aylewife brook highway three poles wide on each side of the path throughout this division; then we laid out a middle highway six poles wide upon a straight line from Mr. Thomas Chatfield's sandy hook close running to Isaac Mulford's land; then we laid out a cross highway six poles wide running from the harbor highway to Aylewife brook highway, about 90 poles southward of John Hand's land: then we laid out another cross highway from the middle highway running along by Isaac Mulford's land and John Hand's land to Aylewife brook highway four poles wide.

The 19th lot with the addition joining to it makes 87 acres.

Josiah Miller 74 acres, bounded eastwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by David Edwards, westwardly by the middle highway, and northwardly by Mr. Eleazer Miller's land or addition land. David Edwards 13 acres, bounded eastwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by Eleazer Miller's land, westwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by Josiah Miller's land.

20th lot, Eleazer Miller 65 acres, bounded eastwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by Stephen Hedges' lot, westwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by David Edwards' land.

21st lot, Stephen Hedges 30 acres, bounded eastwardly by the harbor highway, northwardly by Eleazer Miller, westwardly by the middle highway, southwardly by the heirs of Capt. Talmage, deceased. The heirs of Capt. Talmage $33\frac{1}{4}$ acres, $3\frac{1}{8}$ poles of land, bounded eastwardly by Samuel Merry's land, northwardly by Stephen Hedges' land, westwardly by the middle highway, southwardly by John Parsons, the 4th's, land. John Parsons, the 4th, 2 acres and 20 poles of land, bounded eastwardly by Samuel Merry's land, northwardly by the heirs of Capt. Talmage, deceased, and westwardly by the middle highway, and southwardly by John Talmage. John Talmage $48\frac{1}{8}$ poles of land, bounded eastwardly by John Merry's land, northwardly by John Parsons, the 4th's, land, westwardly by the middle highway, and southward by Daniel Osborne's land. Daniel Osborne, Jr., $\frac{1}{2}$ acre and $31\frac{3}{8}$ poles of land, bounded eastwardly by the harbor highway, northwardly by John Talmage, westwardly by the middle highway, and southwardly by Cornelius Conkling's land. Cornelius Conkling $16\frac{3}{8}$ poles of land, bounded eastwardly by the harbor highway, northwardly by Daniel Os-

born, Jr.'s land, westwardly by the middle highway, southwardly by Joseph Osborn.

Page 33½.—We allowed a passing road around Sam. Mer-ry's round swamp land for the coming at the east end of these men's land that butted against it, the said road crosses the land of the heirs of Capt. Talmage, and John Parsons the 4th.

22d lot, Joseph Osborn 65 acres, bounded eastwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by common land, northwardly by the middle highway, and northerly by the other range of lots.

23d lot, Giddion Hedges 27½ acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, southwardly by Nathaniel Dominy's land, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and northwardly by a cross highway. Nathaniel Dominy 10 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by Benjamin Conkling's land, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and Southwardly by Giddion Hedges. Benjamin Conkling 16½ acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, Southwardly by William Conkling's land, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and northwardly by Natt. Dominy's land. William Conkling 11 acres, bounded eastwardly by highway, southwardly by William Hedges, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and northwardly by Benjamin Conkling's land.

24th lot, William Hedges and William Hedges, Junior, 22½ acres and 26⅔ poles of land, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by William Conkling, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by Thomas Mulford. Thomas Mulford 42¼ acres and 13 poles of land,

bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by William Hedges, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by William Osborne.

25th lot, William Osborne 45 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by Thomas Mulford's land, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by John Mulford's land. John Mulford 20 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by William Osborne, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by John Mulford's own lot.

26th lot is John Mulford's, 65 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by his own land, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by Capt. Burnet's lot.

27th lot, Capt. Matthias Burnet the whole lot of 65 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by John Mulford, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by John Parsons.

28th lot, John Parsons 15 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by Capt. Burnet, westwardly by Aylewife Brook highway, and southwardly by Seth Parsons. Seth Parsons 40 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by John Parsons, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by Noah Barns. Noah Barns 10 acres, bounded eastwardly by the middle highway, northwardly by Seth Parsons, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by Capt. Nathaniel Baker.

29th lot, Capt. Nathaniel Baker 65 acres, bounded east-

wardly by the middle highway, northwardly by Noah Barns, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by Mr. Hunting and partly by common land.

30th lot, Mr. Nathaniel Hunting 65 acres, bounded eastwardly by common land, northwardly by Nathaniel Baker, westwardly by Aylewife brook highway, and southwardly by common land.

Page 34.—Now we began over Aylewife brook path between that and Northwest path, it being the sixth tract we laid out. Northwest highway three poles wide on each side of the path until it comes to the Ten Acre Division. And we laid out a highway across from Northwest path to Aylewife Brook path along joining to Josiah Miller's lot, the said highway is 4 poles wide. And we laid out a passing road along Stephen Hand's path, crossing all the 6 lots in this tract. Then we laid out these six lots, viz: 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36.

31st lot, John Squier $11\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 15 poles, bounded eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, northwardly by the cross highway, westwardly partly by John Dayton's land and partly by Samuel Hedges' land and partly by John Dayton's land, and southwardly by Thomas Talmage. John Stretton $21\frac{1}{4}$ acres, bounded northwardly by a highway, eastwardly by John Squier, southwardly by Samuel Hedges, and westwardly by Northwest highway. Samuel Hedges 3 acres and 0 poles, bounded northwardly by John Dayton, eastwardly by John Squier's land, westwardly by John Stretton, and southwardly by Northwest highway. John Stretton $25\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 26 poles, bounded northwardly by Samuel Hedges, eastwardly by John Squier, southwardly by Thomas Talmage, and westwardly by Northwest highway.

32d lot, Thomas Talmage $58\frac{3}{4}$ acres, bounded northwardly partly by John Stretton and partly by John Squier, eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, southwardly by Samuei Hedges, and westwardly by Northwest highway. Samuel Hedges 1 acre, bounded northwardly by Thomas Talmage, eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, southwardly by Lion Loper, and westwardly by Northwest highway. Lion Loper 5 acres and 38 poles, bounded northwardly Samuel Hedges, eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, southwardly by Mr. Thomas Chatfield, and westwardly by Northwest highway.

33d lot, Mr. Thomas Chatfield 65 acres, bounded northwardly by Lion Loper, eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, southwardly by Capt. Matthew Mulford, and westwardly by Northwest highway.

34th lot, Capt. Matthew Mulford 65 acres, bounded northwardly by Tho. Chatfield, eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, southwardly by the heirs of Capt. Gardiner, and westwardly by Northwest highway.

35th lot, the heirs of Capt. Samuel Gardiner 20 acres, bounded northwardly Capt. Mulford, eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, southwardly by Cornelius Conkling, and westwardly by Northwest highway. Cornelius Conkling 45 acres, bounded northwardly by the heirs Capt. Samuel Gardiner, eastwardly by Aylewife brook highway, southwardly partly by the 36th lot that Icabod Leeke drew, and partly by Samuel Parsons' land, and westwardly by Northwest highway.

36th lot, Icabod Leeke 25 acres, Samuel Parsons, Jr., 20 acres, John Stretton, Jr., 20 acres—altogether bounded northwardly by Cornelius Conkling, eastwardly by Samuel

Parsons' land, southwardly by Daniel Dayton, Samuel Hedges Lion Gardiner, John Davis and Nathaniel Dominy's land, and westwardly by Northwest highway.

Page 34½.—Then we began on the 7th tract of land lying between Northwest highway and Sag Harbor highway, we laid out Sag Harbor highway 6 poles wide; then we laid out a highway four poles wide on the south side of Samuel Hedges' land and so to run with that path, and as it is staked out to the two holes of water, and so along on the south side of the said holes to the path that goeth along by Northwest swamp; then we laid out a highway 6 poles wide, going out of Northwest highway a little homeward of Cobler's hill, running along by Daniel Osborn's lot to the corner, then running north $47\frac{1}{2}$ degrees west to Sag Harbor highway; then we allowed the path called the Bull path to be a passing road along by the northwest end of Samuel Hedges and John Dayton's land, to the two holes of water path; then to keep the path until it comes nigh Daniel Osborn's lot, then running southward of Daniel Osborn's lot to the path again, then to keep the path to the end of it, and there is a path that turns out of Sag-Harbor path on a hill in the 45th lot so running northward; and another path that turns out of Sag Harbor path against a place called Bucks kill, running northward; both these paths last mentioned is to remain for passing roads throughout this 5 acre division. Then we laid out these 9 lots, viz: 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45, in two ranges, one range joining to northwest highway, 4 lots; the other range joining to Sag Harbor highway, 5 lots.

The 37th lot Daniel Dayton and Samuel Hedges both together, $32\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 24 poles, bounded northwardly by the

highway that goeth across from Northwest path to Sag-Harbor path, eastwardly by Lion Gardiner and John Davis, southwardly by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting, and westwardly by the two holes of water highway. John Davis and Lion Gardiner, $26\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 16 poles, bounded northwardly by the cross highway, eastwardly by Northwest highway, southwardly by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting, and westwardly by Dayton and Samuel Hedges.

The 38th lot, Mr. Nathaniel Hunting, 65 acres, bounded northwardly partly by Daniel Dayton and partly by Daniel Dayton and partly by Lion Gardiner, eastwardly by Northwest highway, southwardly partly by Wm. Barber, partly by William and Ebenezer Edwards, and partly by Samuel Hedges, and southwardly by the two holes of water highway.

The 39th lot, Samuel Hedges, $24\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded northwardly by Mr. Hunting, eastwardly by Northwest highway, southwardly by Isaac Hedges, and westwardly by William and Ebenezer Edwards. William and Ebenezer Edwards, 30 acres, bounded northwardly by Mr. Hunting, eastwardly by Samuel Hedges, southwardly by Isaac Hedges, and westwardly by Ann Barber. $10\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded northwardly by Mr. Hunting, eastwardly by William and Ebenezer Edwards, southwardly by Isaac Hedges, and westwardly by the two holes of water highway.

Page 35.—The 40th lot, Isaac Hedges, $13\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 22 poles, bounded northwardly partly by Ann Barber and partly by William and Ebenezer Edwards and partly by Samuel Hedges, eastwardly by Northwest highway, southwardly by Recompence Sherry, and westwardly by the two holes of water highway. Recompence Sherry, $1\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 6 poles,

bounded northwardly by Isaac Helges, eastwardly by Northwest highway, southwardly by Nathan Dayton, westwardly by two holes of water highway. Nathan Dayton, $24\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 6 poles, bounded northwardly by Recompence Sherry, eastwardly by Northwest highway, southwardly by Henry Dayton, and westwardly by the two holes of water highway. Henry Dayton, $24\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 6 poles, bounded northwardly by Nathan Dayton, eastwardly by Northwest highway, southwardly partly by John Dayton's land and partly by several men's land.

The 41st lot, John Merry, $55\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 25 poles. Samuel Mulford 5 acres, Mr. Thomas Chatfield $1\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 20 poles, John Talmage 40 poles. William Hedges $1\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 35 poles. These altogether bounded northwardly by the highway that runs from Sag-Harbor highway to Northwest highway, northwardly by the middle highway that runs to the two holes of water, southwardly by John Diamant, and southwardly by Sag Harbor highway.

The 42 lot, John Diamant, $29\frac{1}{4}$ acres, 37 poles, bounded northwesterly by the 41st lot that John Merry drew, northeastwardly by the middle highway, southeastwardly by Davies Osborn, Jr., and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway. Daniel Osborn, Jr., $4\frac{3}{4}$ acres, bounded northwestwardly by John Diamant, northeastwardly by the middle highway, southeastwardly by Daniel Miller, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway. Daniel Miller, $30\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 21 poles, bounded northwestwardly by Daniel Osborn, Jr., northeastwardly by the middle highway that goeth to the two holes of water, southeastwardly by John Parsons the 4th, and his partners, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway.

The 43d lot, Thomas Filer, 5 acres, Edward Jones, $16\frac{1}{4}$ acres, Joseph Conkling $43\frac{3}{4}$ acres, all bounded northwestwardly by Daniel Miller, northeastwardly by the middle highway, southeastwardly by Daniel Petty, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway. This lot last above written was drawn by John Parson the 4th, John Conkling and Nathan Miller, and was exchanged unto the above named for the eighth lot.

The 44th lot, Daniel Petty, of Oysterponds, $2\frac{3}{4}$ acres, 20 poles, bounded northwestwardly by the lot that John Parsons the 4th drew, northeastwardly by the middle highway, southeastwardly by William King's land, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway. William King, $2\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 20 poles, bounded northwestwardly by Daniel Petty, northeastwardly by the middle highway, southeastwardly by Eliphelet Stretton, Jonathan Young, Edward Jones and Elias Hand, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway. Eliphalet Stretton, Jonathan Young, Edward Jones, and Elias Hand, all of them together is $59\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 14 poles of land, younded northwestwardly by William King, northeastwardly by the middle highway, southeastwardly by william Hedges, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway.

N. B.—John Berry and Daniel Osborn, Jr., had the whole of the addition to this lot for their part, as may be seen in page 40 of this book.

Page 35 $\frac{1}{2}$.—45th lot, William Hedges 65 acres, bounded northwestwardly by Eliphelet Stretton, Jonathan Young, Edward Jones and Elias Hand, northeastwardly by the middle highway, southeastwardly by an addition to the 41st lot that John Merry drew, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway.

Now we laid out two lots on the southwest side of Sag-Harbor path, namely, the lots 46 and 47; then we laid out a highway 4 poles wide on the southeast ends of the lots.

The 46th lot, Theophilus Wilman, $32\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 10 poles, bounded northwestwardly by John Terry's land, northeastwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, southeastwardly by the heirs of Jeremiah Conkling, and southwestwardly by a highway. To the heirs of Jeremiah Conkling, deceased, $32\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 30 poles, bounded northwestwardly by Theophilus Wilman, northeastwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, southeastwardly by John Hedges, Lemuel Hedges and Robert Leeke, and southwestwardly by a highway.

The 47th lot, John Hedges, 30 acres; Lemuel Hedges, 30 acres; Robert Leeke, 5 acres; all together bounded northwestwardly by Jeremiah Conkling, Jr., northeastwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, southeastwardly by common land, and southwestwardly by a highway.

The 48th lot, Matthias Hopin, $36\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 20 poles, bounded northwardly and eastwardly by common land, southwardly by Hezekiah Miller and Stephen Hand, westwardly by a highway that runs along by the line between Southampton and this town.

Hezekiah Miller and Stephen Hand, 20 acres, bounded northwardly by Mathias Hopin, eastwardly by common land, southwardly by John Hand, and westerly by the line highway. John Hand, 28 acres, bounded northwardly by Hezekiah Miller and Stephen Hand, and eastwardly by common land, southwardly partly by common land and partly by Daniel Miller's land, and westwardly by the line highway.

This last lot was not entered in the right place, so it was entered here in the last place.

Book E, page 436.—An account of each man's right in commonage, in order to lay out a division of land of five acres to one acre commonage, as followeth :

			Acre	Q	P
Joseph Osborn.....			13	0	0
Capt. Nathaniel Baker			13	0	0
Mr. Thomas Chatfield.....			13	0	0
John Mulford.....			13	0	0
Heirs of Capt. Samuel Gardiner.....			13	0	0
Mr. Nathaniel Hunting.....			13	0	0
Mr. Natth Hunting.....			13	0	0
Capt. Matth. Burnet.....			13	0	0
Capt. Matthias Burnet			13	0	0
Mr. Eleazer Miller.....			13	0	0
Timothy Mulford.....			13	0	0
Elias Mulford.....			13	0	0
Capt. Matthew Mulford			13	0	0
William Hedges.....			13	0	0
Samuel Parsons.....	5	0	0		
Robert Parsons	8	0	0—13	0	0
Giddeon Hedges	5	0	0		
Benjamin Conkling.....	3	0	0		
William Conkling	2	0	0		
Natth. Dominy and son Nathl	3	0	0—13	0	0
Josiah Miller	11	0	0		
David Edwards.....	2	0	0—13	0	0
Nathan Dayton	5	0	0		
Henry Dayton.....	5	0	0		
Isaac Hedges.....	2	3	0		
Recompence Sherrill.....	0	1	0—13	0	0
Thomas Mulford	8	1	34 $\frac{2}{3}$		
William Hedges, Jr.....	3	1	13 $\frac{1}{3}$		
William Hedges	1	0	32—13	0	0
David Conkling.....	6	0	0		

		Acres	Q	P
Joseph Hicks.....	3	0	0	
John Edwards.....	4	0	0—13	0
Mr. Samuel Hudson	10	3	26 $\frac{2}{3}$	
Henry Hudson.....	1	0	0	
Daniel Osborne, Jr.....	1	0	13 $\frac{1}{3}$ —13	0
Seth Parsons	8	0	0	
John Parson.....	3	0	0	
Noah Barnes	2	0	0—13	0
Daniel Baker.....	5	0	0	
Isaac Barns and son	7	3	31	
William Hedges.....	0	0	9—13	0
Isaac Mulford.....	5	2	0	
Edward Huntting	5	2	0	
Samuel Russill.....	2	0	0—13	0
Major John Merry.....	11	0	29	
Samuel Mulford.....	1	0	0	
Mr. Thomas Chatfield.....	0	1	20	
John Talmage	0	0	8	
William Hedges.....	0	1	23—13	0
Aaron Fithian	7	0	0	
Jane Conkling.....	3	0	0	
Jeremiah Conkling	2	0	0	
Benjamin Leek	1	0	0—13	0
John Hedges.....	6	0	0	
Lemuel Hedges.....	6	0	0	
Robert Leek	1	0	0—13	0
Lewis Conkling.....	9	1	32	
Lieut. Jonathan Baker	3	0	0	
Mr. Nathaniel Hunting.....	0	2	8—13	0
Jeremiah Mulford	8	2	0	
Thomas Dibble	1	2	0	
Charles Glover.....	1	1	0	
Mr. Nathan Huntting.....	1	2	25 $\frac{1}{3}$	

			Acres	Q	P
Mr. Thomas Chatfield.....	0	0	14 $\frac{1}{2}$ -13	0	0
Elisha Osborn	6	0	0		
John Talmage.....	4	0	0		
Elias Hand.....	3	0	0-13	0	0
Joseph Conkling.....	9	0	0		
Edward Jones.....	3	0	0		
Thomas Tyler	1	0	0-13	0	0
Cornelius Conkling.....	9	0	0		
Heirs of Capt. Samuel Gardiner	4	0	0-13	0	0
Matthias Hopin.....	5	3	20		
Stephen Hand	0	3	0		
Hezekiah Miller.....	1	1	20		
John Hand.....	5	0	0-13	0	0
Eliphelet Stretton.....	9	2	4		
William King	0	2	0		
Daniel Petty	0	2	0		
John Terry	0	2	0		
Jonathan Young	0	0	26		
Daniel Osborn, Junior	1	2	0		
Elias Hand.....	0	0	10		
Edward Jones.....	0	1	0-13	0	0
Stephen Hedges.....	6	0	0		
Heirs of Capt. Talmage, decd.	6	2	24 $\frac{2}{3}$		
John Parsons the 4th	0	0	20		
Cornelius Conkling.....	0	0	3 $\frac{1}{2}$		
Daniel Osborn.....	0	0	22 $\frac{1}{2}$		
John Talmage.....	0	0	9 $\frac{2}{3}$ -13	0	0
Samuel Hedges	5	0	0		
William and Ebenezer Edwards	6	0	0		
Ann Barber.....	2	0	0-13	0	0
William Osborn.....	9	0	0		
John Mulford.....	4	0	0-13	0	0
Thomas Talmage.....	11	3	10		

			Acres	Q	P
Lion Loper.....	1	0	0		
Samuel Hedges	0	0	30—13	0	0
Icabod Leeke.....	5	0	0		
Samuel Parsons, Jr.....	4	0	0		
John Stretten	4	0	0—13	0	0
Jacob Schellinx.....	7	0	0		
Thomas Osborn, Jr.....	3	1	13 $\frac{1}{2}$		
Henry Conkling	2	2	0		
Mr. Eleazer Miller.....	0	0	6 $\frac{2}{3}$		
Samuel Hedges	0	0	3		
Samuel Parsons, Jr.	0	0	17—13	0	0
John Stretton	5	2	16		
John Squier.....	2	2	0		
Samuel Hedges.....	0	0	34		
John Dayton.....	4	2	30—13	0	0
Jeremiah Conkling, Jr.....	6	2	6		
Theophilus Wilman	6	1	34—13	0	0
Beriah Dayton.....	4	2	30		
Robert More.....	3	2	0		
Daniel Leeke.....	3	3	8		
Eliakim Conkling	1	0	0		
Heirs of Capt. Talmage	0	0	2—13	0	0
John Parsons the 4th.....	9	0	0		
John Conkling.....	2	2	0		
Nathan Miller	1	2	0—13	0	0
Daniel Dayton.....	7	0	0		
John Davis	1	2	20		
Lion Gardiner	4	0	20		
Samuel Hedges	0	1	0—13	0	0
Daniel Osborn.....	4	1	13 $\frac{1}{2}$		
Daniel Osborn, Jr.....	1	3	29		
Daniel Edwards.....	2	0	37 $\frac{2}{3}$		
Heirs of William Barns, decd.....	4	2	0—13	0	0

			Acres	Q	P
Daniel Miller.....	4	2	7		
John Diament.....	4	1	14		
James Hand.....	3	0	10		
Daniel Osborn, Jr.....	0	2	29		
William Hedges	0	1	20—13	0	0

Page 37½.—The record of the additions of land laid out that we the layers out laid so some lots, to make them equal one with another; and whereas some lots had not their proportion in the lots they have it in the additions, as may appear by this record.

The first addition, Capt. Mathias Burnet, six acres southward of the path that goeth to Abraham's landing, bounded eastwardly and southwardly by common land, westwardly by the third addition that David Conkling, John Edwards and Joseph Hicks drew, and northwardly by that highway that goeth to a place known by the name of Abraham's landing.

The second addition is near to the northwardly brick kills, or the place known by the name of the old brick kills. It contains four acres, bounded northwardly, eastwardly and southwardly by laid-out land, and westwardly by common land; drawn by Elias Mulford.

The third addition David Conkling, John Edwards and Joseph Hicks drew all together. Sixteen acres lying on the south side of the highway that goes to Abraham's Landing, bounded northwardly by the said highway to Abraham's Landing, eastwardly by Capt. Burnet's land, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by ———.

'The 4th lot hath no addition.

The fifth addition is near Stony hill. Jacob Schellinx, Thomas Osborn, Jr., Henry Conkling, Eleazer Miller, Samuel Hedges and Samuel Parsons, Jr., all together three acres, in a

triangular form; bounded westwardly by old Accabonac highway, northeastwardly by the heirs of John Wheeler, and southwardly by a highway that goes from Amagansett to the head of Three Mile harbor, called Abraham's path.

The 6th and 7th lots have no addition.

The 8th addition lies on the east side of Fireplace path. Drawn by John Parsons the 4th, John Conkling and Nathan Miller. It contains 15 acres; bounded northwardly by Timothy Mulford's lot, eastwardly by the ninth addition that Beriah Dayton drew, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by the Fireplace highway.

The 9th addition lies on the west side of old Accabonac path and contains 15 acres; drawn by Beriah Dayton, Robert More, Daniel Leek, Eliakim Conkling and the heirs of Capt. Talmage; the heirs of said Talmage are to take thirteen poles of land, it being because they had none in the lot; take all that two poles of commonage drawn in that division in the said 9th addition. The rest of the said addition Beriah Dayton, Robert More, Daniel Leek and Eliakim Conkling take according to their right in commonage. The said addition is bounded northwardly by Timothy Mulford's lot, eastwardly by the old highway to Accabonac, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by the eighth addition that John Parsons the 4th drew.

The tenth addition lies on the east side of the old Accabonac highway near Stony hill; the heirs of Samuel Gardiner, deceased, eleven and one-half acres, bounded northwardly by Accabonac old highway, southwardly by the 7th lot that Isaac Mulford, Doctor Hunting and Samuel Russill drew, eastwardly by Lewis Conkling's land, and northeastwardly by Timothy Mulford's land.

The eleventh addition lies adjoining to Accabonac highway northwardly of the 10th addition. Timothy Mulford thirteen and one-half acres; bounded westwardly by Accabonac old

highway, northwardly by a highway that goes from the Accabonac highway to the highway that goes from Amagansett to Accabonac, eastwardly by Lewis Conkling's land, and southwardly by the land of the heirs of Samuel Gardiner.

The 12th lot has no addition.

The 13th addition lies on the west side of the Fireplace highway and contains eleven and three-quarter acres; drawn by Samuel Hudson, Daniel Osborn and Henry Hudson. Samuel Hudson $10\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 15 poles, bounded northwardly by the land of Daniel Osborn, Jr., eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by Samuel Parsons. Daniel Osborn, Jr., one-half acre and 36 poles, bounded northwardly by Henry Hudson, eastwardly by Fireplace highway, southwardly by Samuel Hudson's land and westwardly by Samuel Parsons' land. Henry Hudson 98 poles of land, bounded northwardly by the 17th lot, eastwardly by the Fireplace path, southwardly by the land of Daniel Osborn, Jr., and westwardly by Samuel Parsons' land.

The 14th addition lies about half way or midway between Hudson's round swamp close and Fireplace path, and contains 18 acres. Samuel Parsons has $6\frac{3}{4}$ acres and $27\frac{1}{2}$ poles, bounded northwardly by the 17th lot, eastwardly by the 13th addition, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by Robert Parson's land. Robert Parsons 11 acres and $12\frac{1}{2}$ poles, bounded northwardly by the 17th lot, eastwardly by Samuel Parsons, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by Thomas Dibble's land.

The 15th addition lies in two places, viz:—one piece containing 12 acres on the back side of Hudson's round swamp close and the other piece at springing banks; and Jeremiah Mulford, Charles Glover, Mr. Nathaniel Hunting and Mr. Thomas Chatfield drew $10\frac{1}{4}$ acres adjoining to the round swamp close, bounded northwardly by the 17th lot, eastwardly by Thomas Dibble, southwardly by common land, and

westwardly by Samuel Hudson's round swamp close. And 13 acres more at springing banks, bounded northwardly by a wide highway, eastwardly by the banks or cliff, southwardly by Thomas Dibble, and westwardly by a highway. And Thomas Dibble drew $1\frac{3}{4}$ acres of land in this by the round swamp, bounded northwardly by the 17th lot, eastwardly by Robert Parsons, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by Jeremiah Mulford. Thomas Dibble drew two acres more at springing banks, bounded northwardly by Jeremiah Mulford and his partners, eastwardly by the bank, southwardly by Jeremiah Conkling, and westwardly by a highway.

The 16th addition, containing 14 acres, lies towards Northwest swamp. In it Daniel Osborn and Daniel Osborn, Jr., and Daniel Edwards drew 9 acres and 22 poles, bounded eastwardly by Daniel Leek's land, southwardly by Aron Fithian's land, westwardly by a highway, and northwardly by the land of the heirs of William Barnes; and the heirs of William Barnes drew $4\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 18 poles of land in a triangular form, bounded northwardly partly by Daniel Leek's land and partly by Nathaniel Dominy's land, eastwardly by Daniel Osborn's land, and westwardly by a highway.

Page 38 $\frac{1}{2}$.—The 17th addition was drawn by Aron Fithian, Jeremiah Conkling, Jane Conkling and Benjamin Leeke. It is in two pieces; one piece at springing banks, and Jeremiah Conkling drew for his part $3\frac{1}{4}$ acres of land; Jane Conkling drew $\frac{3}{4}$ of an acre of land, both making four acres, and bounded northwardly by Thomas Dibble, eastwardly by a highway, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by a highway. The other piece of land added to the 17th lot lies towards Northwest two holes of water, containing nearly 16 acres, of which Aron Fithian drew $10\frac{3}{4}$ acres, bounded northwardly by Daniel Edwards' land, eastwardly by Thomas and John Stretton's land, southwardly by Benjamin Leek's

land, and westwardly by a highway. Then Benjamin Leeke drew $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 6 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Aron Fithian, eastwardly by John Stretten, southwardly by Jane Conkling, and westwardly by a 6 pole highway. Then Jane Conkling drew three acres and three-quarters of land, bounded northwardly by Benjamin Leeke, eastwardly by John Stretten, southwardly by John Mulford's land, and westwardly by a 6 pole highway.

The 18th addition adjoins the lot bounded southwardly by Daniel Miller's land, eastwardly by common land running partly around it and bounded partly by common land, eastwardly by common land, westwardly by the highway that adjoins the line. It contains $11\frac{1}{2}$ acres and was drawn by John Hand, all of it, and so he has but $16\frac{1}{2}$ acres of the lot. In all John Hand's land is 28 acres.

The 19th addition and lot join together, all drawn by Josiah Miller by reason that David Edwards had all his right on the homeward side of the lot. The said addition contains 22 acres, bounded southwardly by said 19th lot, eastwardly by a highway that goes to the west side of the harbor, northwardly by the 20th addition or Mr. Eleazer Miller's land, and westwardly by the middle highway that is six poles wide.

The 20th addition lies near Capt. Baker's close at the west side of the harbor; drawn by Mr. Eleazer Miller and contains 19 acres; bounded northwardly by the 21st addition that Stephen Hedges drew, eastwardly by the highway that goes to the west side of the harbor, southwardly by Josiah Miller's land, and westwardly by the middle highway.

The 21st addition lieth westward of Three Mile Harbor, containing 21 acres, drawn by Stephen Hedges, the heirs of Capt. Talmage, John Parsons the 4th, Cornelius Conkling, Daniel Osborn, Jr., and John Talmage, bounded northwardly by a cross highway, eastwardly by the harbor highway, southwardly by Mr. Eleazer Miller's land, and westwardly by the middle highway.

The 22d addition lieth a little westward of springing banks containing 25 acres, drawn by Joseph Osborn, bounded northwardly by Capt. Burnett's land, eastwardly by the highway that goeth to Nathaniel Dominy's land, southwardly and westwardly by highways.

The 23d addition, Nathaniel Dominy draws two acres and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr. draws seven acres, because he had nothing in the lot, both together 9 acres, bounded northwardly by the 36th lot Icabod Leek, &c. drew, eastwardly by common land, southwardly by Northwest highway, and westwardly by Lion Gardiner's and John Davis' land.

The 24th addition lyeth on the south side of Sag-Harbor path, about 30 chains eastward of Buck's kill, containing 16 acres. Thomas Mulford drew $10\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 27 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, eastwardly by William Hedges' land, and southwardly by common land, and westwardly by William Osborn's land. William Hedges and William Hedges, Jr., $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 13 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, eastwardly by common land, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by Thomas Mulford.

The 25th addition lyeth on the south side of Sag-Harbor path, homeward of Buck's kill. William Osborn, $12\frac{1}{4}$ acres 20 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, eastwardly by Thomas Mulford's land, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by John Mulford's land. $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land, bounded northwardly by Sag-Harbor highway, eastwardly by William Osborn's land, southwardly by common land, and westwardly by that land that fell to James Hand and he laid it down and had some nearer Wainscott in lieu of it.

The 26th addition contains 13 acres. It lieth towards Northwest, drawn by John Mulford, bounded northwardly by Jane Conkling and Thomas Dibble, eastwardly by John Stret-

ten's land, southwardly by Nathan Dayton's land, and westwardly by a 6 pole wide highway.

The 27th addition lyeth towards Hand's creek ; it contains 11 acres ; it is Capt. Matthias Burnet's land. The said 11 acres are bounded northwardly by 4 pole wide highway, eastwardly by the 28th addition, southwardly by a highway that is 6 poles wide, and westwardly by common land.

The 28th addition drawn by Seth Parsons, John Parsons and Noah Barns. It lyeth towards Hand's creek, it contains 10 acres, bounded northwardly by a highway, eastwardly by Capt. Nathaniel Baker's land, southwardly by a highway and westwardly by Capt. Burnet's land.

The 29th addition lieth adjoining to the 28th ; the said 29th was drawn by Capt. Nathaniel Baker ; it contains 11 acres, bounded northwardly, eastwardly and southwardly all by highways, and westwardly by the 28th addition.

The 30th addition, $6\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land, drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting. It lieth nigh the harbor, bounded northwardly and eastwardly by Ny Nathaniel Dominy's land, southwardly by Samuel Parsons' land, and westwardly by a highway.

The 31st addition, John Stretten, John Dayton, John Squier and Samuel Hedges drew, it lyeth a little westward of Samuel Dayton's Northwest close, it contains 10 acres. It is bounded northwardly by Henry Dayton's land, northeastwardly by the 36th addition, southeastwardly by a highway about 12 poles wide, and southwestwardly by a passing road that joins to Samuel Hedges' land.

The 32d addition Thomas Talmage drew it all because Lion Loper and Samuel Hedges had all their part in the lot, and so three acres in the addition fell to Thomas Talmage ; bounded northwardly by the 36th lot that Icabod Leek drew, eastwardly and southwardly by common land, and westwardly by Nathaniel Dominy's and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr.'s land, the said addition lyeth nigh Mr. Samuel Hudson's Northwest close.

Page 39½—The 33d Thomas Chatfield drew this addition. It contains 3 acres. It lies nigh Northwest closes on the northwest side of the highway, bounded northwardly by Henry Dayton's land, eastwardly by common land, southwardly and eastwardly by the highway to Northwest, southwestwardly by Capt. Matthias Mulford's land.

The 34th addition joins to the 32d. It was drawn by Capt. Matthias Mulford. It contains 5 acres, bounded northeast by Mr. Thomas Chatfield's land, southeastwardly by a highway that is 6 poles on that side of the path, southwestwardly by Cornelius Conkling's land, and northwestwardly by Henry Dayton.

The 35th addition lieth just beyond Northwest closes. It contains 5 acres. Cornelius Conkling drew 3¼ acres and 34 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Henry Dayton's lot, northeastwardly by Capt. Mulford's land, southeastwardly by a very wide highway, and southwestwardly by the heirs of Capt. Gardiner's land.

The heirs of Capt. Samuel Gardiner 1½ acres and 6 poles of land, bounded northwestwardly by Henry Dayton's land, northeastwardly by Cornelius Conkling, southeastwardly by a very wide highway, and southwestwardly by the 36th addition that Icabod Leek, Samuel Parsons and John Stretton drew.

The 36th addition joins to the 35th. It contains five acres drawn by Icabod Leek, Samuel Parsons, John Stretton, Jr., all together, bounded northwestwardly by Henry Dayton's land, northeastwardly by the heirs of Capt. Saml. Gardiner, southeastwardly by a highway that is about 12 poles wide, and southwestwardly by an addition to the 31st lot.

The 37th addition lieth about 30 poles northwestwardly from a place called Joshua's hole by Northwest path; it contains 20 acres. John Davis and Lion Gardiner draw 9 acres of it, bounded northwardly by the thirty-sixth lot, eastwardly

by Nathaniel Dominy's land, southwardly by Northwest highway, and westwardly by Daniel Dayton's land. Daniel Dayton draws 11 acres, bounded northwardly by the 36th lot, eastwardly by Lion Gardiner's and John Davis' land, southwardly by Northwest highway. It is in a triangular form.

The 38th addition lies adjoining to Daniel Osborn's lot towards Northwest. It contains 16 acres and was drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting. It is bounded northwardly by Ann Barber, eastwardly by Daniel Osborn's land, southwardly and westwardly by highways.

The 39th addition lies back of Daniel Osborn's lot. It contains 28 acres and Samuel Hedges drew $10\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 3 poles of land; bounded northwardly by Henry Dayton's land, eastwardly by Daniel Osborn's lot, southwardly by William and Eleazer Edwards' land, and westwardly by a highway 6 poles wide. William Edwards and Ebenezer Edwards drew $12\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 27 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Samuel Hedges' land, eastwardly by Daniel Osborn's land, southwardly by Mr. Hunting's land, and westwardly by a highway. Ann Barber $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 9 poles of land, bounded northwardly by William Edwards' and Ebenezer Edwards' land, eastwardly by Daniel Osborn's land, southwardly by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting's land, and westwardly by highways.

The 40th addition addition lies on the west side of Daniel Osborn's lot, that is, on the west side of Northwest path. It contains 28 acres, of which Nathan Dayton drew $10\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 36 poles of land, bounded northwardly by John Mulford's land, eastwardly by John Stretton's land, southwardly by Isaac Hedges' land, and westwardly by a highway. Isaac Hedges 6 acres and 8 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Nathaniel Dayton's land, eastwardly by the land of John Stretten, Jr., southwardly by Henry Dayton's land, and westwardly by a highway. Henry Dayton drew $10\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 36 poles of land, bounded northwardly by Israc Hedges' land, eastwardly by Daniel Osborn's land, southwardly by Samuel

Hedges' land, and westwardly by a highway. Recompence Sherril had all his part in the lot, and so has none of this addition.

Page 40.—The 41st addition was drawn by Major John Merry, Samuel Mulford, Mr. Thomas Chatfield, John Talmage and William Hedges all together. The addition lies a little beyond Thomas Talmage's close on the north side of Sag-Harbor path. It contains 20 acres, bounded northwestwardly by William Hedges' lot, northeastwardly by a middle highway, southeastwardly by common land, and southwestwardly by Sag Harbor highway.

The 42d addition James Hand drew it all, and so had none in the lot. The said addition he laid down and took up land nearer home. It lay in the crotch of the paths by buckkiln.

The 43d addition was drawn by Joseph Conkling, Edward Jones and Thomas Fyler. It contains 15 acres and lies beyond the tan creek ; bounded all around by common land.

The 44th addition lies on the northwest side of Sag Harbor highway near wolf's hole. Daniel Osborn and John Penny drew it all. Daniel Osborn $9\frac{3}{4}$ acres, bounded northwesterly by common land, northeastwardly by Sag Harbor highway, southeastwardly by John Terry's land, and southwestwardly by a highway. John Terry $3\frac{1}{4}$ acres, bounded northwestwardly by Daniel Osborn, northeastwardly by Sag Harbor highway, southeastwardly by the 46th lot, and southwestwardly by a highway.

The 45th addition lies on the southeast side of Sag Harbor path near the deep hollow. It contains 17 acres, and William Hedges drew it. It is bounded northwestwardly and northeastwardly by common land, southeastwardly by a cross highway, and southwestwardly by the Sag Harbor highway.

The 46th addition lies towards Georgica pines. It contains 18 acres and was drawn by Jeremiah Conkling, deceased, and

Theophilus Wilman; bounded northwestwardly by the 47th addition, northeastwardly by a highway, southeastwardly and southwestwardly by common land.

The 47th addition lies near Georgica pines. John Hedges, Lemuel Hedges and Robert Leek 20 acres all together. Bounded northwestwardly by common land, northeastwardly by a highway, southeastwardly by the 46th addition, and southwestwardly by common land.

Book E, page 40½.—Pursuant to a major vote of the proprietors, bearing date February 6th, 1739-40, wherein the trustees of the freeholders and commonalty of the town of East Hampton were empowered to lay out divisions of land in this town as the said trustees shall think fit, and after they had accomplished a division of land, consisting of five acres of land to one acre of common, they proceeded to lay out another division, consisting of five acres of land to one acre of commonage, and for the performance of the said division the said trustees did order and appoint Jeremiah Mulford, Daniel Dayton and Nathaniel Dominy, Junior, to lay out the said divisions and such highways as they shall think convenient for every man to come at his land.

Then we proceeded according to the above written order to lay out the first lot, and so on.

Elisha Osborn, 6 acres of commonage; John Talmage, 4 acres of commonage; Elias Hand, 3 acres of commonage. They drew the first lot containing 48½ acres of land adjoining Justice Chatfield's lot towards Sag-Harbor, bounded northerly by said Justice Chatfield's lot, easterly by a new highway, southerly by the second lot, and westerly by the line highway.

The second contains 48½ acres of land, drawn by Samuel Parsons, 5 acres of commonage, Robert Parsons, 8 acres of commonage; bounded northerly by the first lot, easterly by a

6 pole highway, southerly by the third lot, and westerly by the line highway, together with $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot that John Mulford drew, easterly by the 20th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 3d addition.

The third lot was drawn by John Straton, $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 16 poles of commonage; John Squier, $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres; John Dayton $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 30 poles; Samuel, 28 poles; Eleazer Miller, 6 poles of commonage. The said lot contains $48\frac{3}{4}$ acres, bounded northerly by the second lot, easterly by a 6 pole highway, southerly by the fourth lot, and westerly by the line highway. Together with an addition of $7\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 2d addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 4th addition.

The fourth lot was drawn by Aron Fithian, 7 acres of commonage; Jane Conkling, 3 acres; Jeremiah Conkling, 2 acres, and Benjamin Leeke, one acre of commonage. The said 4th lot contains 49 acres, bounded northerly by the 3d lot, easterly by the new 6 pole highway, southerly by the fifth lot, and westerly by the line highway. Together with an addition of 6 acres of land in the Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the third addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the tenth addition.

The fifth lot was drawn by Nathan Dayton 5 acres, Henry Dayton 5 acres, Isaac Hedges $2\frac{3}{4}$ acres, Recompence Sherrill $\frac{1}{4}$ of an acre of commonage. The lot contains 51 acres, bounded northerly by the fourth lot, easterly by a 6 pole highway, southerly by the 6th lot and partly by James Hand's land, westerly by the line highway.

The sixth lot was drawn by William Osborn 5 acres of commonage; John Mulford 4 acres; Henry Hudson 1 acre, and Jonathan Baker 3 acres. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the fifth lot, easterly by a 6 pole high-

way, southerly by the seventh lot, and westerly by the 12th lot that was laid out in the five acre division, and by Jane Hand's land.

The seventh lot was drawn by Daniel Osborn, $4\frac{1}{4}$ acres and $13\frac{1}{2}$ poles of commonage; Daniel Edwards, 2 acres, $37\frac{2}{3}$ poles; the heirs of William Barns, $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres; Samuel Hudson, $1\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 26 poles. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the sixth lot, easterly by a 6 pole highway, southerly by the eighth lot, and westerly by the 12th lot that was laid out in the five acre division.

The eighth lot was drawn by Timothy Mulford, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 43 acres of land, bounded northerly by the seventh lot, easterly by a 6 pole highway, southerly by the ninth lot, and westerly partly by the parsonage land and partly by the 12th lot that was laid out in the 5 acre division; together with an addition of 13 acres of land lying northward of the tan creek, about a half mile from it bounded northerly by the thirty-fifth lot, easterly by a highway that John Diamond uses to go into Sag Harbor highway, southerly by a parcel of land laid out for an amendment to several lots, and westerly by a new 4 pole highway.

The ninth lot was drawn by Gideon Hedges, 5 acres of commonage; Benjamin Conkling, 3 acres; William Conkling 2 acres, and Nathaniel Dominy and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., 3 acres. The lot contains 41 acres of land, bounded northerly by the eighth lot, easterly by a 6 pole highway, southerly by the tenth lot and westerly by parsonage land; together with 17 acres of an addition of land near Thomas Talmage's Northwest close, a little westward of said close. Bounded northerly by Sag Harbor highway, easterly by Stephen Hand's path, southerly by common land, and westerly by William Hedges' land that was laid out in the 5 acre division.

The tenth lot was drawn by Daniel Miller, $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 7 poles of commonage; John Dimond $4\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 14 poles

James Hand 3 acres and 10 poles; Ann Barber 1 acre and 9 poles. The lot contains $50\frac{1}{4}$ acres, bounded northerly by the ninth lot and partly by the parsonage, easterly by a highway 6 poles wide, southerly by the eleventh lot, and westerly by the line highway that runs between the two towns; together with an addition of 9 acres in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the eighteenth lot, easterly by the fourth addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 11th addition.

The eleventh lot was drawn by Beriah Dayton $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 30 poles of commonage; Robert Moore $3\frac{1}{2}$ acres; Daniel Leeke $3\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 8 poles; Eliakim Conkling 1 acre; the heirs of Capt. Talmage 2 poles. The said 11th lot contains $56\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land, bounded northerly by the tenth lot, easterly by a highway, southerly by the twelfth lot and partly by the eighteenth lot that was laid out in the five acre division, and westerly by the line highway. Together with an addition of 13 acres in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the tenth addition, southerly by the country road, and westerly by the twelfth addition.

The twelfth lot was drawn by John Hedges, 6 acres of commonage; Lemuel Hedges 6 acres; Robert Leeke 1 acre. The lot contains 52 acres, bounded northerly by the eleventh lot, easterly by the highway, southerly by the thirteenth lot, and westerly by the eighteenth lot in the five acre division. Together with an addition of $7\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 11th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 13th addition.

Page 42.—The thirteenth lot was drawn by Nathaniel Baker, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land lying by a hole known by the name of Daniel's hole, westward of said hole, bounded northerly by the twelfth lot,

easterly by the highway, southerly by the 14th lot, and westerly by the 18th lot in the five acre division; together with $16\frac{1}{2}$ acres in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 12th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 14th addition.

The fourteenth lot was drawn by Jacob Schallinx, 7 acres commonage; William and Ebenezer Edwards 6 acres, The lot contains 51 acres, bounded northerly by the thirteenth lot and partly by James Hand's land, easterly by the highway, southerly by the 15th lot, and westerly by the line highway; together with an addition of $17\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 13th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 15th addition.

The fifteenth lot was drawn by Daniel Dayton, 7 acres of commonage; John Davis $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 20 poles; William Hedges 30 poles; John Talmage 4 poles; Samuel Hudson 6 poles. The lot contains $51\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land, bounded northerly by the fourteenth lot, easterly by the highway, southerly by the sixteenth lot, and westerly by the line highway; together with an addition of 20 acres of land in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 14th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 19th addition.

The sixteenth lot was drawn by Captain Burnit, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains $51\frac{3}{4}$ acres, bounded northerly by the 15th lot, easterly by the highway, southerly by the 17th lot, and westerly by the line highway; together with an addition of 17 acres of land near Edwards' hole in a triangular form, bounded northwesterly by the 17th addition, northeasterly by the old highway to Sag Harbor, and southwestwardly by the new 6 pole highway to Sag Harbor.

The seventeenth lot, drawn by John Merry, 11 acres and 29 poles of commons; Samuel Mulford, 1 acre; Just Chatfield

one quarter and 20 poles ; John Talmage, 8 poles ; William Hedges, $\frac{1}{4}$ of an acre and 38 poles of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 16th lot, easterly by the highway, southerly by the 18th lot, and westerly by the line highway. Together with an addition of 20 acres of land between the highways by Edwards' hole, triangular, bounded southwesterly and northeasterly by the said two highways, and southeasterly by the 16th addition.

The eighteenth lot, drawn by John Mulford, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 55 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 17th lot, easterly by the highway, southerly by several additions, and westerly by the line highway. Together with an addition of 26 acres of land on the northeast side of Sag-Harbor highway, nigh the Great Swamp, bounded all around by common land as it is staked out.

The nineteenth lot, drawn by John Parsons the 4th, 9 acres of commonage. John Conkling, $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres ; Nathan Miller $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by an highway that runs from Sag-Harber path to the middle highway, easterly by Sag-Harbor highway, southerly by the 20th lot, and westerly by the middle highway. Together with an addition of 5 acres of land in Georgica pines, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 15th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 34th addition.

The nineteenth lot, drawn by William Hedges, 13 acres of commonage, bounded northerly by the 19th lot, easterly by the Sag-Harbor highway, southerly by the 21st lot, and westerly by the middle highway. Together with an addition of 27 acres of land lying a little westward of the tan creek, in the crotch between the country road and the highway that turns out of said country road, and runs between the two tier of lots, quite to Just Chatfield's lot, then turns into Sag-Harbor path ; the said 20th addition is bounded easterly and

southerly by the said highways, and westerly by the 21st addition.

The twenty-first lot, drawn by Samuel Hudson, $7\frac{1}{2}$ acres, $36\frac{2}{3}$ poles of commonage; Daniel Osborn, Jr., $5\frac{1}{4}$ acres, $13\frac{1}{2}$ poles. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 20th lot, easterly by Sag Harbor highway, southerly by the 22d lot, and westerly by the middle highway. Together with an addition of $21\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land by Jeremiah Talmages, on the north side of the country road, bounded northerly by the 15th lot and partly by highway, easterly by the 20th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 26th addition.

The 22d lot, drawn by Elias Mulford, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres, bounded northerly by the 21st lot, easterly by Sag Harbor highway, southerly by the 23d lot, and westerly by the middle highway. No addition.

Page 43.— The twenty-third lot, drawn by Capt. Cornelius Conkling, 9 acres of commonage; the heirs of Capt Samuel Gardiner, 4 acres. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 22d lot, easterly by the Sag Harbor highway, southerly by the 24th lot, and westerly by the middle highway.

The twenty-fourth lot, drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Huntting, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 23d lot, easterly by Sag-Harbor highway, southerly by the 25th lot, and westerly by the middle highway. Together with an addition of 4 acres of land nigh the tan creek, bounded northerly by the 50 acres laid to several lots, easterly by the 44th addition, southerly by the highway, and westerly by the 25th addition.

The twenty-fifth lot drawn by Jeremiah Mulford, $8\frac{1}{2}$ acres of commonage. Charles Glover $1\frac{1}{4}$ acres, Thomas Dibble $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres, Mr. Huntting $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres $25\frac{1}{3}$ poles, Just. Thomas Chat-

field $14\frac{2}{3}$ poles. The lot contains 52 acres, bounded northerly by the twenty-fourth lot, easterly by Sag Harbor highway, southerly by the 26th lot, and westerly by the middle highway. Together with an addition of 4 acres of land nigh the tan creek, bounded northerly by the land added to several lots, easterly by the 24th addition, southerly by the highway and westerly by the 34th lot.

The twenty-sixth lot drawn by Josiah Miller, 11 acres of commonage, and David Edwards 2 acres. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by 25th lot, easterly by Sag Harbor highway, southerly by the 27th lot and westerly by the middle highway. Together with an addition of 6 acres nigh Jeremiah Talmage, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 21st addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 27th addition.

The twenty seventh lot, drawn by Thomas Mulford, $8\frac{1}{4}$ acres, $34\frac{2}{3}$ poles; William Hedges, Jr., $3\frac{1}{4}$ acres, $13\frac{1}{3}$ poles; William Hedges, 1 acre 32 poles commonage. The lot contains 51 acres, bounded northerly by the 26th lot, easterly by the highway, southerly by the 28th lot, and westerly by a highway. Together with an addition of $6\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land nigh Jeremiah Talmages, bounded northerly by the 10th lot, easterly by the 26th addition, southerly by the highway and westerly by the 28th addition.

Page 42 $\frac{1}{2}$.—The 28th lot drawn by Thomas Talmage, $11\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 10 poles of commonage; Lyon Loper 1 acre, William Hedges 30 poles of commonage. The lot contains 50 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 27th lot, easterly by an highway that we laid out turning out of Sag Harbor path nigh a hole called wolf's hole, 2 poles wide, running s. 33 w. until it comes to another highway that is 4 pole wide that comes from the cross path that is called Stephen Hand's path, to a certain spot that we the surveyors marked and staked out, then to turn and run south 69 deg. west 113 poles to the

highways right against Daniel's hole, as it is called, then the said 28th lot is bounded southerly by the said highway that goeth to Daniel's hole as it is called, and westerly by the highway that runs northward by said hole. Together with an addition of 11 acres of land a little westward of Jeremiah Talmage's house, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 27th addition, southerly by the country road, and westerly by the second addition.

The twenty-ninth lot, drawn by Ichabod Leek, 5 acres ; Samuel Parsons, Jr., 4 acres ; John Stratton, Jr., 4 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the cross highway, easterly by a new middle highway, southerly by the 30th lot, and westerly by a highway. Together with an addition of 17 acres of land lying towards Hand's Creek, bounded northerly, westerly and southerly by highways, and easterly by the 27th addition that was laid out in the five acre division.

The thirtieth lot, drawn by Capt. Mathias Burnett, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 29th lot, easterly by a new highway, southerly by the 31st lot, and westerly by a highway. Together with an addition of 11 acres of land lying on the north-east side of Sag Harbor path, in the crotch of the path where one path turns out of Sag Harbor and goeth to the head of Northwest creek, bounded northeasterly by the road last mentioned, southwesterly by Sag Harbor highway, and northwesterly by the highway that crosses Sag Harbor path eastward called Wainscott Northwest path—it is a triangular piece of land.

Page 44.—The thirty-first lot, drawn by Eleazer Miller, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 30th lot, easterly partly by a highway, and partly by and surrounding two additions, viz., the 46th and 47th that was laid out in the 5 acre division, south-

erly by the 32d lot, and westerly by a highway. Together with an addition of $15\frac{1}{4}$ acres of land that lies in the crotch of the paths by Buckskiln. It is that part that James Hand laid down and took the like value in land near the line. The said 31st addition is bounded northerly and westerly by highways, southerly by common land, and easterly by John Mulford's land.

The thirty-second lot, drawn by Samuel Hedges on David Conkling's $6\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 36 poles of commonage, on Thomas Osborn's $3\frac{1}{4}$ acres and $3\frac{1}{3}$ poles, on Henry Conkling's $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres on Samuel Hudson's half an acre and $30\frac{2}{3}$ poles. The lot contains 52 acres, bounded northerly by the 31st lot, easterly by a highway, southeely by the 33d lot, lying around part of the 43d addition that was laid out in the 5 acre division, and westerly by a highway that turns out of the country road beyond the tan creek. Together with an addition of $24\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land by the country road by Sagg line, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 33d addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the line highway.

The thirty-third lot, drawn by the heirs of Capt. Samuel Gardiner, deceased, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northerly by the 32d lot, surrounding part of the 43d addition that was laid out in the five acre division, easterly by a highway, southerly by the 34th lot, and westerly by the highway. Together with an addition of 22 acres near the line, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 34th addition, southerly by the country highway, and westerly by the 32d addition.

Page 44 $\frac{1}{2}$.—The thirty-fourth lot, drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Huntting, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres, bounded northerly by the 33d lot, easterly by the highway, southerly partly by the 25th addition and partly by the 50 acres laid to several lots, and westerly by the highway. To-

gether with an addition of 17 acres by the country road, bounded northerly by the 18th lot, easterly by the 19th addition, southerly by the country highway, and easterly by the 33d addition.

The thirty-fifth lot, drawn by Capt. Matthew Mulford, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 50 acres of land, lying northeastward of the tan creek, bounded northerly by the 47th lot that John Hedges drew in the five acre division, easterly by the highway that John Diamond uses to go to his Northwest meadow to Sag Harbor, southerly by the 8th addition, and westerly by the middle highway that we laid out 4 poles wide.

The thirty-sixth lot, drawn by Joseph Osborn, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 58 acres of land in two pieces, one piece lies about half a mile southeasterly from the hole of water called Chatfield's hole, containing 21 acres, bounded northwesterly by the fortieth lot, northeasterly by a highway, southeasterly by the new highway 6 poles wide, and southwesterly by the 41st lot. The other piece of the 36th lot lies a little beyond a hole by the name of Edwards' hole. The said land lies in the crotch of the path where that path turns out of Sag Harbor path and goes to Northwest. The said land is bounded northerly by the cross path that Wainscott folks use to go to Northwest, northeasterly by the highway that turns out of Sag Harbor highway a little beyond Edward's hole, and southwestly partly by Sag Harbor highway and partly by another highway that turns out of Sag Harbor highway. The above mentioned part of the 36th lot contains 37 acres; the said land lies in a triangular form.

Page 45.—The thirty-seventh lot, drawn by Seth Parsons, 8 acres. John Parsons, 3 acres. Noah Barns, 2 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land lying on the north side of Sag Harbor path near Edward's hole, bounded

northwesterly by the highway that turns out against said hole and goes to the Northwest meadow, northeasterly by a highway that turns through the land by Chatfield's hole, Southeasterly by the 38th lot, and southwesterly by Sag Harbor highway.

The thirty-eighth lot, drawn by Samuel Hedges, $9\frac{1}{2}$ acres of commonage. Joseph Hicks, 3 acres. Samuel Hudson, half an acre of commonage. The lot containing 52 acres, bounded northwesterly by the 37th lot, northeasterly by a highway, southeasterly by the 39th lot, and southwesterly by Sag Harbor highway.

The thirty-ninth lot, drawn by Daniel Baker, 5 acres. Isaac Barns and Isaac Barnes, Junior, $7\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 31 poles. William Hedges 9 poles of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northwesterly by the 38th lot, northeasterly by a highway, southeasterly by the 40th lot, and southwesterly by Sag Harbor highway.

The fortieth lot, drawn by Justice Thomas Chatfield, 13 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northwesterly by the 39th lot, northeasterly by the highway, southeasterly by the 41st lot and partly by the 36th lot, and southwesterly partly by Sag Harbor highway and partly by William Hedges' land that was laid out in the five acre division.

The forty-first lot, drawn by the heirs of Jeremiah Conkling, deceased, $6\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 6 poles. Theophilus Wilman, $6\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 34 poles of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northwesterly by the 40th lot, northeasterly by the 36th lot, southeasterly by the highway that runs from Sag Harbor highway between the 5acre division and the 4 acre division, and southwesterly by the 45th addition that was laid out in the 5 acre division.

Page 45 $\frac{1}{2}$.—The forty-second lot, drawn by Joseph Conkling, 9 acres. Edward Jones, 3 acres. Thomas Filer, 1 acre

of commonage. The lot contains 57 acres of land, lying at Northwest swamp, bounded northwesterly by the highway that runs across by Northwest swamp, northeasterly by a highway that runs on the south side of Nathaniel Dominy's lot of land and turns around the swamp into the said highway that runs across, &c., southeasterly by the 43d lot, and southwesterly by the (Chatfield's hole) highway. Together with an addition of 6 acres of land by the tan creek, bounded westerly by the 44th addition, northerly by the 50 acres laid to several lots, easterly by common land, and southerly by the country highway.

The forty-third lot, drawn by Eliphelet Straton, $9\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 4 poles. William King, half an acre. Daniel Petty, half an acre. John Terry, half an acre. Jonathan Youngs, 26 poles. Elias Hand, 10 poles. Edward Jones, $\frac{1}{4}$ of an acre. Mr. Nathaniel Huntting, $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre and 8 poles. Ann Barber, $\frac{3}{4}$ of an acre and 31 poles. John Talmage, 1 pole of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, bounded northwesterly by the 42d lot, northeasterly by the middle highway, southeasterly by the 44th lot, and southwesterly by the highway that runs by Chatfield's hole.

The forty fourth lot, drawn by Matthias Hopping, $5\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 20 poles. Stephen Hand, $\frac{3}{4}$ of an acre. Hezekiah Miller $1\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 20 poles. John Hand, 5 acres of commonage. The lot contains 53 acres of land, bounded northwesterly by the 43d lot, northeasterly by the middle highway, southeasterly by the 45th lot, and southwesterly by the highway that runs by the hole of water called Chatfield's hole. Together with an addition of 5 acres of land by the tan creek, bounded northerly by the 50 acres added to several lots, easterly by the 42d addition, southerly by the highway, and westerly by the 24th addition.

The forty-fifth lot, drawn by Lewis Conkling, $8\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 36 poles. John Edwards, 40 acres. Samuel Hudson, 4 poles

of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land, lying in a triangular form, bounded northwesterly by the 44th lot, easterly by the highway, and southwestly by a highway that runs by a hole called Chatfield's hole.

Page 46.—The forty-sixth lot drawn by Stephen Hedges, 6 acres, the heirs of Capt. Talmage, deceased, $6\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 24 poles, John Parsons the 4th, 20 poles, Capt. Cornelius Conkling, $3\frac{1}{2}$ poles, John Talmage, $9\frac{2}{3}$ poles, Samuel Parsons, Jr., 17 poles, William Hedges, $5\frac{1}{3}$ poles of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land lying near Hog Creek, bounded northerly by a highway, southeasterly by the straight highway to the head of Hog Creek that runs by the northwest end of the lot laid in the ten acre devision, southwestly by the 47th lot, and northwesterly by John Parsons' land.

The forty-seventh lot, drawn by Isaac Mulford, $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres, Doctor Edward Hunting, $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres, Samuel Russell, 2 acres of commonage. The lot contains 52 acres of land lying near the mouth of Three Mile Harbor, bounded northeasterly by the 46th lot, southeasterly by the straight highway to the head of Hog Creek, southwestly by land laid out for parsonage land, and northwesterly by a highway and part by John Parsons' land.

Notwithstanding what has been said as to additions to the lots in the 4 acre division, we laid out 12 acres of land between Jeremiah Talmage's and the tan creek on the south side of the country road, to three lots, namely, the 15th, the 16th and the 17th lots to be divided equally among them. The said 12 acres is bounded northerly by the country highway, southerly by Joseph Conkling's land, and westerly by the lot that Jeremiah Talmage now lives on.

And also another tract of land containing 50 acres, we laid out to these 14 lots, namely, the 2d, 3d, 4th, the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, the 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32d and 33d

lots to be equally divided amongst them that drew the 14 lots. The said 50 acres of land lyeth near the tan creek, bounded northerly and easterly by the highway that John Dimond uses to go across from his house to Sag Harbor highway, southerly by 4 additions, viz: the 24th, 25th, 42d and 44th additions, and westerly partly by the 35th lot and partly by the 8th addition. But there is a highway open to run across the above bounded land to go between the two tier of lots, 4 poles wide. It is the same highway that is mentioned with the 28th lot that crosses from Stephen Hand's path.

Book E, page 5.—Samuel Bennit brought a wild cat, February 21st, 1739.

Book E, page 22.—The proprietors of the undivided land in the bounds of East Hampton, being met together February 21st, 1739-40. did then agree by major vote that there shall be a division of land laid out of the said land, and to be performed and laid out by the Trustees as they the said Trustees shall order and appoint. The last above written is a true record, attest,

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

The Freeholders and Proprietors of East Hampton being legally met together, April 1st, 1740, did then agree by major vote that the Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of East Hampton have and shall have the whole management of the sheep flock in and about this town commons, and also at Montauk, in respect to pasturing and hiring a man or men to keep the said sheep flock or flocks as they the said Trustees shall order and appoint, for the time and term of one year from the date last above said. The above is a true record, attest,

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Also agreed on the day above said by major vote of the proprietors of this town of East Hampton, that the owners of Napeag meadows have liberty to set up a fence at Thomas Barnes' house, across that lane and across the lane at Amagansett burying place, and also at the fresh pond, and at the north side or bay, to secure their meadows at Napeague from being destroyed by neat cattle and horse kind, and that all neat cattle that shall be found grazing eastward of said fence to the hither end of Montauk, from and after the first day of May to the fifteenth day of September following, are and shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all neat cattle so impounded paying six pence for each neat beast so impounded, and also all horse kind that shall be found grazing eastward of the said fence to the hither end of Montauk, from the first day of May to the fifteenth day of September, yearly, are and shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all horse kind paying one shilling for each horse so impounded, always provided that the fence so set up be judged a sufficient fence.

The above written is a true record as it was voted, attest,
CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 23½.—Agreed on by major vote, April 1st, 1740, that the Trustees of East Hampton, have and shall have full power to manage Montauk for the term of one year from the date last above said.

Also agreed on the day last above said by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Montauk after the first day of January next ensuing, until the first day of March next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owners paying three shillings for each horse so impounded, the town stallions only excepted. All the orders concerning

Montauk above written were agreed on by major vote April 1st, 1740, attest,

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 22½.—At a legal town meeting in East Hampton, April 1st, 1740, were then chosen for Trustees, Constables and Assessors as follows :

Capt. Huntting,	Seth Parsons,
Timothy Mulford,	Thomas Chatfield, Jr.,
Jeremiah Mulford,	Elisha Conkling,
Henry Conkling,	Daniel Osborne,
Daniel Baker,	Giddion Hedges,
Thomas Mulford,	Eliphelet Stretton.

Mr. Eleazer Miller, Supervisor.

John Parsons the 4th and Nathan Conkling were chosen Constables.

Henry Hudson was chosen Collector.

Lion Gardiner and Capt. Burnet were chosen Overseers of poor.

John Davis and Thomas Osborne, Jr., were chosen Assessors.

Mr. Eleazer Miller, Mr. Samuel Hudson and Cornelius Conkling, Jr., were chosen overseers of the highways.

Robert More and Nathan Dayton were chosen fence viewers.

James Hand, Edward Jones, Daniel Dayton, Jeremiah Mulford, and Elias Mulford were chosen to put out the fire in the woods.

Marks, page 28.—Lenuel Conkling entered for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the left ear, and one half penny on the under side of the left ear. Entered April 8th, 1740. By me,

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Samuel Ludlam of Southampton entered for his ear mark a slope on the under side of each ear. Entered May 30th, 1740.

By me, CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Elias Mulford, Jr., entered for his ear mark one slope on the upper side of the left ear, and a crop on the right ear. This ear mark entered to Elias Mulford was owned by his brother, Samuel Mulford, Jr. Entered June 3d, 1740, by
CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Henry Dayton enters for his ear mark one ell on the under side of the left ear, and one slit in the right ear, and one half penny on the under side of the same ear. Entered July 28th, 1740, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 0x.—December 6th, 1740. Capt. Nathaniel Hunting entereth a brindle white face steer, marked with a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the same ear, and a slope on the upper side of the left ear. If any person can lay claim to the same he or she may be further informed of the same.

Book E, page 93.—The roads and paths here under mentioned are to be and remain for passing highways, so that one cart may pass another, viz :

1st. That path from the Brickilns to the path that goeth to Abraham's landing.

2d. A road from Barnes' Hole path to Burnet's brickiln land on the north side of the fresh pond, heading to the points of the swamp.

3d. A road out of William Edwards' path across the 6th lot in this division to the 1st lot, as the path now is by Joseph Dibble's land.

4th. A road on the east side of Hudson's round swamp, close to the 17th lot.

5th. The path called Stephen Hand's path from Northwest path to alewife brook path.

6th. A passing road out of a highway that runs from Chatfield's sandy hook to Isaac Mulford's land, to Stephen Hand's land that he drew in the 10 acre division.

7th. The path called the Bull path into the two holes of water path.

8th. A road at the northeast of Samuel Hedges' land to the two holes of water path, then to run southward to Daniel Osborn's land to the path again, and so to keep the path to the outside of our survey in this five acre division.

9th. The path called sandy hill path, running out of Sag Harbor path in the 45th lot, on a sandy hill to run to an open highway.

Book E, page 94.—10th. The path turning out of Sag Harbor path at a place called Buck's kiln, running northward to an open highway.

11th. The path that turns out of the country road a little westward of Osborn's creek, to run to the highway by the line.

The passing highways above mentioned were allowed for in the lots that they were in by us the layers out, as witness our hands this nineteenth day of February, 1740.

JEREMIAH MULFORD,
DANIEL DAYTON,
NATHANIEL DOMINY, JR.

At a town meeting held in East Hampton April 7th, 1741, were then chosen for Trustees, Constables and Assessors, as follows :

Mr. Eleazer Miller,

Lion Gardiner,

Mr. Samuel Hudson,	William Osborne,
Capt. Matthew Mulford,	William Hedges,
John Mulford,	Nathan Miller,
Aaron Fithian,	John Parsons the 4th,
Cornelius Conkling, Jr.,	Nathan Dayton.

Elisha Conkling and Capt. Nathaniel Baker were chosen overseers of the poor.

Benjamin Leek and Nathan Conkling were chosen Constables.

Daniel Dayton and Joseph Conkling were chosen Assessors.
Henry Hudson was chosen Collector.

Samuel Parsons, Jr. and John Hunting were chosen fence viewers.

Mr. Thomas Chatfield was chosen Snpervisor.

Jeremiah Mulford, Major John Merry and Eliphelet Stretton were chosen overseers of the highways.

Page 25.—Josiah Miller entereth for his son Matthew's mark a crop on the right ear and a nick on the under side of the same ear, and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered April the 8th, 1741, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 160—(Abstract)—To all people to whom these may come, Know ye that I, Stephen Herrick, of the town of Southampton, &c., in consideration of the sum o twenty-three pounds two shillings in hand received, have granted and sold unto Thomas Cooper, Jur., of the same town, and to his heirs forever, one twenty-fourth part of a share on Montauk, To have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant secure.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this — day of April, 1741.

STEPHEN HERRICK. [L.s.]

In presence of

Alexander Fordham,

Abigail Herrick.

Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 133.—(Abstract)—The following quit-claim was extracted from the original and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

To all Christian people to whom these presents may come, Greeting. Know ye that Samuel Hudson, Esq., of Easthampton, &c., for divers good causes and for the sum of two hundred and twenty-seven pounds, twelve shillings and four pence, to me in hand paid by William Schellinx, of Middletown, Connecticut, have remised, released and quit-claimed unto the said William Schellinx and to his heirs forever, all such right, title, interest and demand whatsoever as I, the said Hudson, had or ought to have of, in and to all the real estate Mr. William Schellinx, late of Easthampton, deceased, as well to the home lot in said Town, on which Hudson now dwelleth, together with all the buildings thereon erected, also all the other land, meadow, rights in commons or shares in Montague, with all privileges, &c., To have and to hold forever, and all claims are forever barred, and will forever defend by these presents.

In witness whereof the said Samuel Hudson hath hereunto set his hand and seal the first day of January, 1741-2.

S. HUDSON. [L.S.]

In presence of

B. Silvester,

Robert Hempsted.

On the same day Samuel Hudson personally appeared be-

fore Robert Hempsted and acknowledged the above written release.

Memorandum.—That peaceable and quiet possession and seizen of the lands and hereditaments within mentioned to be granted and released, was held and taken by John Merry, attorney for the within named William Schellinx, the younger, and by the within named Samuel Hudson in his own proper person, was delivered to the aforesaid John Merry for the use of the said William Schellinx and to his heirs and assigns, To have and to hold forever. And part of the within mentioned premises that was delivered was a turf and a twig growing and being on the home lot within mentioned, and the delivery of the house was by the latch of the door. All done

In the presence of

Eleazer Millar,

John Davis.

The fourth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty-one (two)

SUFFOLK, } ss:

On the second day of March, annoq'dm 1741, then Brinley Sylvester and Robert Hempsted, Esq., appeared before me and made oath that they saw Samuel Hudson, the subscriber to this within written deed of conveyance, sign and seal it and deliver it to John Merry, and both of them, the said Brinley Silvester and Robert Hempsted signed at the same time as witnesses.

Sworn before me,

THOMAS CHATFIELD, Judge.

Recorded by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Extracted from and compared with the original.

Book G, page 154—(Abstract)—To all people to whom

these presents shall come. Know ye that I, Josiah Osborn, of the town of Easthampton, &c., Weaver, for divers good causes and for the sum of a hundred and fifty pounds to me in hand paid by Elihu Howell, of Southampton, yeoman, and to his heirs forever, a tract of land within the township of Easthampton at a place known by the name of Wainscott, and is the lot of land that my father now liveth on that he gave me in a deed of gift, the house excepted, and the said lot of land is bounded as follows, namely: the north end by the undivided land, west side by Elias Hand's house lot, the southwardly by the beach, the east side by Wainscott pond, To have and to hold the same and do warrant to defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 8th day of January, 1741-2.

JOSIAH OSBORN. [L.S.]

In presence of

Elnathan White,

Job Pierson.

Acknowledged the 11th day of January, 1741-2, before
THOMAS CHATFIELD, Judge.

Entered and compared by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book of Marks, page 28.—Samuel Hicks, the son of Joseph Hicks, entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the left ear and a crop on the right ear, and one half penny on each side of the right ear. Entered February 26th, 1671-2, by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Lion Gardiner entereth for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the left ear, and a ——— on the right ear. Entered Feby. 26th, 1541-2, per me,

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

[Crossed in original.] Lyon Gardiner, Jr., entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the right ear and one half penny on the upper side of the same ear. Entered March 2d, 1741, by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

David Fithian, the son of Aaron Fithian, entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the right ear and a crop on the left ear, and one half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered March 2d, 1741-2, by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 24.—At a Town Meeting held in East-Hampton April 6th, 1742, it being our election day, were chosen for Trustees, Constables and Assessors, as follows—first twelve Trustees :

David Conkling,
Eliphelet Stretton,
Thomas Talmage,
Joseph Osborn, Jr.,
Thomas Mulford,
Jeremiah Mulford,

Henry Conkling,
Joseph Conkling,
Elisha Conkling,
Capt. Nath. Baker,
Thomas Chatfield, Jr.,
William Hedges, Jr.,

Ananias Conkling and Nathan Conkling were chosen Constables.

Daniel Miller and Stephen Hedges were chosen Assessors.

Jonathan Stretton was chosen Collector.

Isaac Mulford and Timothy Mulford were chosen Overseers of the poor.

Mr. Thomas Chatfield was chosen Supervisor.

Capt. Mulford and Samuel Parsons, Jr., was chosen surveyors of the highways, and Daniel Dayton, also John Stretton and John Dayton were chosen fence views.

Book A, page 24.—Know all men by these presents that

we, Matthias Hoppin and John Hand, of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk and colony of New York, do resign and deliver up, by way of exchange, to Daniel Osborn and Daniel Edwards, of same place, to say, one parcel of land laid out in the four acre division, bounded by the 45th and the 43d lots, and by highways at each end, for and in consideration of the said land the said Daniel Osborn and Daniel Edwards the 7th lot laid out in the said four acre division lying between the 6th and 8th lots, bounded westward by the land of John Talmage and Elisha Osborn, and eastward by a highway, the land to be and remain to the said Daniel Osborn and to the said Matthias Hoppin and John Hand, and to their heirs forever, as witness our hands in East Hampton, February 10th, 1742-3.

(Sigs.) MATTHIAS HOPPING,
DANIEL OSBORN,
JOHN HAND,
DANIEL EDWARDS.

Marks, page 27.—Jonathan Osborne, the son of Daniel Osborne, enters for his ear mark one nick on the under side of the left ear. Entered February 10th, 1742-3, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 156. [Abstract.] To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I, Ebenezer Edwards, of the town of East Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of seven acres and three-quarters of woodland, laid out in the ten acre division, in lot No. 27, lying not far from Hand's creek, to be laid out next to Jacob Schellinx, said lot to me delivered by Elisha Osborn of the same place, have confirmed and sold unto the said Elisha Osborn and to his heirs forever, all my right of land to a six acre commonage laid out in the last division in lot number 14, with all the

addition to said lot, butted to the bound line between South-ampton and East Hampton, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant secure.

In witness whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal this 14th of March, 1742-3.

EBENEZER EDWARDS. [l. s.]

In presence of

Adam Cady,

Jonathan Stretten.

Entered and compared by

CORNEIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 24.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton April 5th, 1743, it being our election day, were then chosen for Trustees, Constable, Assessors, &c., first twelve Trustees, two Constables and two Assessors.

Mr. Eleazer Miller,

Cornelius Conkling, Jr.

Samuel Parsons, Jr.

Josiah Miller,

Capt. Matthew Mulford,

Daniel Dayton,

Isaac Mulford,

Lion Gardiner,

Thomas Osborn, Jr.

John Dayton,

Aaron Fithian,

Daniel Osborn,

Jonathan Baker, Jr., Ananias Conkling and Henry Dayton were chosen constables.

Capt. Matthew Mulford and John Huntting were chosen Assesors.

Henry Conkling and Nathan Miller were chosen overseers of the poor.

Mr. Thomas Chotfield was chosen Supervisor.

Capt. Isaac Barnes and James Hand were chosen, and Capt. Nathaniel Baker was chosen surveyors of the highways.

Nathan Conkling was chosen collector.

Joseph Osborne, Jr. and Timothy Mulford were chosen fence viewers.

Book of marks, page 27.—Uriah Miller enters for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the left ear and a crop on the right ear, and one half penny on the under side of the right ear, and one slit on the right ear. Entered June 19th, 1743, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Page 28.—Recompense Sherry enters for his ear mark one slit in the left ear, and one half penny on the upper side of the same ear, and one half penny on the under side of the right ear. Entered June 27th, 1743, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Henry Conklin, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear, and a slit in the same ear, and a one half penny on the under side of the left ear. Entered July 8th, 1743, by me

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 34.—The Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of East Hampton being met together September 6th, 1743, did then for and in consideration of the sum of four shillings current money paid by Samuel Mulford, of East Hampton, have given, granted, bargained and sold unto the said Samuel Mulford, and to his heirs and assigns, a certain small point of land lying at the east side of Acabonick meadow, bounded by the land of Jeremiah Mulford, south-westwardly, and by the meadow of Elias Mulford on all other sides.

The above is a true record as by information of the Trustees and the said Samuel Mulford.

Attest, CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 1x.—Peter, Indian, Sacataco grandson, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and an ell on the fore side of the left ear.

Entered December 6th, 1743, per me,

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 24½.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton April the 3d, 1744, it being our election day, were then chosen for Trustees, Constables and Assessors.

John Davis,	Timothy Mulford,
Nathan Dayton,	Mr. John Merry, -
Gideon Hedges,	Thomas Mulford,
Joseph Osborn,	Will Hedges, Ju.,
Eliphelet Stretton,	Elisha Conkling,
Capt. Baker,	Henry Dayton.

Adam Cady and Ananias Conkling were chosen Constables.

Nathaniel Dominy and Samuel Parsons, Ju., were chosen Assessors.

Ephraim Burnet and Jeremiah Mulford were chosen Overseers of the poor.

Nathan Conkling was chosen Collector.

David Conkling and William Hedges were chosen Surveyors of the Highways, and Eliphelet Stretton, John Hedges, and Jeremiah Osborn were chosen fence viewers.

Cornelius Conkling, Jr., was chosen Supervisor.

On the day above written it was agreed on by major vote that the trustees have full power to hire a man to keep the sheep flock about the town this summer.

Loose Leaf C.—Elias Conkling entereth for his son Elias ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same ear, and one half penny on the upper side of the same ear. Entered June the 6th, 1744, per me,

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk,

Page 29.—Mr. David Gardiner entereth for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny on the under side of the right ear. This mark was bought of Capt. Matthew Mulford, and entered here by order of both parties July 16th, 1744, by
CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Nathan Dayton entereth for his son Abraham's ear mark a crop on the right ear and a hollow crop on the left ear. Entered Dec. 11th, 1744, by
CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

John Miller entereth for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and one half penny on the under side of each ear. Entered January 8th, 1744, by
CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Capt. Nathaniel Baker entereth for his ear mark two half pennies on the under side of the right ear. Entered February 5th, 1744.

This ear mark last above written was sold to Capt. Nathaniel Baker, as by information of Samuel Russell. By me
CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Peter Gardiner, Indian, entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and two half pennies on the under side of the same ear, and one half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered February 26th, 1744, by
CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Daniel Dayton, Jr., entereth for his ear mark a crop on each ear, and one slit in the right ear. This mark was bought of Samuel Parsons, Jr., as by information of Samuel Parsons. Entered February 27th, 1744, by
CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 45½.—(Note.—See entry of Nov. 15, 1698.) The Trustees, considering the danger of the last above said land being in danger of being damnified by the sand coming on the same, did lay out and add fifteen acres of land to the abovesaid land for the same use as the abovesaid land is or may be; bounded by the land abovesaid southeastward and by the common land on all other sides, the whole breadth of the abovesaid land until it makes so much land; the above was laid out and marked by Mr. Eleazer Miller, Isaac Mulford and Cornelius Conkling, Jr., as by information of the said men March 30th, 1744. Test.

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 24½.—At a Town Meeting holden in East-hampton April the 2d, 1745, it being our election day, and were then chosen twelve trustees, two constables, two assessors, &c.

Capt. Matthew Mulford,	David Conkling,
Mr. Eleazer Miller,	Tho. Osborn, the 3d,
Cornelius Conkling, Ju.,	John Parsons, the 4th,
Aaron Fithian,	Daniel Dayton,
Samuel Parsons, Ju.,	Thomas Talmage,
Henry Conkling,	John Mulford.

Adam Cady was chosen constable. Thomas Dibble, Jr. was chosen constable.

Eliphelet Stretton and Thomas Osborn, Ju., were chosen Assessors.

Nathan Dayton was chosen Collector.

Cornelius Conkling, Ju., was chosen Supervisor.

Jeremiah Mulford, Lion Gardiner and Capt. Natt. Baker were chosen Surveyors of the highways.

Elisha Conkling and Josiah Miller were chosen fence viewers.

Book A, page 27.—Know all men by these presents that I, Thomas Mulford, of Easthampton, in the County of Suffolk and Colony of New York, in America, Yeoman, do for and in consideration of one pound ten shillings current money, already received in hand of and from Mr. David Gardiner, of the town, county and colony abovesaid. Now know ye that I, the abovesaid Thomas Mulford, for and in consineration of the sum abovesaid, do oblige myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, forever hereafter to keep up and maintain all that part of the fence on the southwest side of lane that did formerly belong to the allotment of Mr. Thomas James, which is eight lengths of fence, and also two lengths of fence on the same side of the lane that did belong to the said Mr. Gardiner, so as fully to acquit and discharge the said David Gardiner, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns forever hereafter, wherein the said Mr. Gardiner was formerly obliged to do and perform.

The above written was entered as abovesaid by order of Mr. David Gardiner and Thomas Mulford June the 1st, 1745.
Attest.

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 29.—Mr. Eleazer Miller entereth for his ear mark two half pennies on the under side of the left ear. Entered August 5th, 1745, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

John Hopping entereth for his ear mark an ell on the under side of the left ear and a crop on the same ear, and two half pennies on the under side of the right ear. Entered September 10th, 1745, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Baker entereth for his son David's ear mark an

ell on the under side of each ear and one half penny on the upper side of the right ear.

Jonathan Baker entereth for his son Jonathan's ear mark an ell on the under side of each ear and one half penny on the upper side of the left ear. The two last above ear marks were entered January 2d, 1745, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 14.—1746, March the 26th, the trustees of Easthampton and John Parsons hath made an exchange of land, viz: John Parsons hath the liberty of fencing and improving the highway forever that was laid out running from the north corner of the parsonage land near the mouth of the Three Mile Harbor, near Mr. Gardiner's meadow, running down to a flaggy hole, and from thence to the head of Hog creek, being about eight acres, always provided that the said Parsons, his heirs and assigns, allow Timothy Miller, his heirs and assigns forever, to have a passing highway to his land for foot, horse, cart or driving cattle to his land lying southwest of Hog creek, and in consideration of which the said John Parsons hath thrown out of his land which said Parsons had of Isaac Mulford and Edward Huntting, containing about eight acres lying near the mouth of said Three Mile Harbor, adjoining to the land of the said John Parsons, in a triangular piece, which land the said John Parsons giveth upon exchange with the Trustees of East Hampton for the use of the parsonage forever. It is joing to the parsonage land that was laid out at the aforesaid place.

The above written was entered in this book by order of the abovesaid parties, namely, John Parsons and Capt. Matthew Mulford. Entered by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book of marks, page 29.—Henry Dayton enters for his ear

mark a crop on each ear, it being the mark that formerly belonged to his grandfather, Samuel Dayton.

Entered March 27th, 1746, by

CORNELIUS CONKLING, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 25.—At a Town meeting April 1st, 1746, it being our election day, was then chosen for trustees, constables, assessors, &c., as followeth :

Mr. David Gardiner,	Daniel Osborn,
Mr. Thomas Chatfield,	Thomas Mulford,
Jeremiah Mulford,	Capt. Nathaniel Baker,
Burnet Miller,	Lion Gardiner,
Jeremiah Conkling, Jr.	Timothy Mulford,
Joseph Osborne,	William Hedges, Jr.

Beriah Dayton, Jr. and John Parsons the 3d were chosen constables.

Elisha Conkling and Thomas Talmage were chosen assessors.

Nathaniel Dominy, Jr. was chosen collector.

Cornelius Conkling, Jr. was chosen supervisor.

Nathaniel Dominy, Daniel Dayton and Eliphelet Stretton were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Book E, page 40.—Whereas there is some difference between the proprietors of Montauk and the Montauk Indians concerning the said Indians improving some part of the said land, and for the ending of said difference the proprietors of Montauk being assembled together April 1st, 1746, and did then agree by major vote that the Trustees have full power to agree with said Indians on all differences concerning their improving of part of said land.

It was also agreed on by major vote on the day above said, that the Trustees have full power to build and to set up a house on Montauk for a man to live in to keep the sheep from going to eastward of the Fort Pond.

It was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors of the undivided lands in the bounds of this town, on the day above said, that the Trustees have full power to lay out a division of land out of or on this town commons.

Whereas Luke Pritchit and Stephen Cooper did on the day abovesaid make their request to the proprietors for this town, that they would grant to each of them a small quantity of land for each of them to set an house on, somewhere on the town commons, and did then agree by major vote to leave it to the Trustees to do and act in that matter as shall see cause.

Book E, page 95.—We the Commissioners chosen by major vote of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of East Hampton, in the year of our Lord 1743, to survey and lay out and regulate or alter highways for the benefit of the town as we should think fit, according as an act for that purpose directs us; and by the authority given us in said act of Assembly, we proceed and lay out and regulate and alter the highways hereafter mentioned, as shall be hereunder expressed, viz :

The highway to Amagansett we altered, turned along on the north ends of Thomas Mulford's and Jeremiah Mulford's Pantigo closes, four poles wide, then to run straight across the plain or level land to the old road again as it is staked out.

Then the road called Abraham's Road, to the Three Mile Harbor, we altered, running straight from the Amagansett closes, four poles wide as staked out.

Then laid out a highway from Nathan Miller's, southeast of his home lot, four poles wide along by the side of said lot, then three poles wide, to run towards Jonathan Conklin's bars. And a highway by Nathan Miller's close, from his middle bars to the Springs, two poles wide in the narrow place but wider in the middle, as it is staked out; then to run

round the said Jonathan Conklin's corner, we made it four poles wide from Jonathan Conklin's, Aaron Fithian's and Henry Hudson's fences, as it is staked out to the Amagansett closes highway, then straight from Henry Hudson's northwest corner to Gideon Hedges' west corner, of his little north close, four poles wide as staked out.

Then a highway four poles wide straight from Accabonac highway to the Fire Place highway, between the 37th and 38th lots, in this present division, (3 acre division) as staked out.

Then after the Trustees had granted Nathaniel Dominy all the land from his close below Lily Hill to Mr. Huntting's close on the hill, and all the land from the hollow that runs across to the Harbor highway to Seth Parsons' close, and along on the west side of Seth Parsons' close to the bars still adjoining to the Harbor highway, upon consideration of the said Nathaniel Dominy's laying down a three pole highway across the hither end of his Lily Hill close.

We, the commissioners, have staked the said three pole highway across the said close and to continue three poles wide to the harbor path, as it is staked out by us.

Then we altered the fireplace highway, turning along in the harbor highway until we came to the corner of the land granted to Nathaniel Dominy, then to run across to the old highway three poles wide from the middle of the path each way as it is staked out and so straight up that part of the old highway next to William Conkling's.

Then we altered the Three Mile Harbor highway, laying out a straight highway sixteen poles wide from the northeast corner of William Conkling's close, the west line of the highway to run straight from the said corner to the southeast corner of Osborn's lot, the east line of the highway to run parallel with the west line as it is staked out. All these highways are to be open highways as staked out.

Then we laid a highway four poles wide from the harbor highway to the fireplace highway adjoining to Mr. Gardiner's round swamp close and the land laid out in the five acre division. Then a straight highway four poles wide straight from the north corner of Nathaniel Dominy's lilly hill close to the southeast corner of Mr. Gardiner's round swamp close, as they are both staked out.

Then a highway ten poles wide northward of the first lot by William Conkling's close, to run straight to Justice Chatfield's, northeast of his close, then to continue ten poles wide to Hand's creek highway as it is left and staked out.

Then we altered northwest highway and made it but two poles wide on the hill against Mr. Gardiner's northwest close, but soon coming to the width as it was formerly laid out as it is now staked out.

Then we laid out a four pole highway along in the path that goes along on the west side of Nathaniel Dominy's lilly hill close, four poles at each end of the said close from the ditch, at other places two poles from the middle of the path on each side.

Then we laid out a four pole highway along on the east side of Nathan Miller's Amagansett close and by part of William Hedges' close, then to run eastward along by the south tier of the new lots to the highway called Abraham's highway.

We also laid out a highway across Indian well plain six poles wide along by the roadside of John Edward's lot that lies there, and a four pole highway in Jonathan Baker's high land close from Montauk road to said close, and a highway out of the path that goes to Abraham's landing along by the southeast side of Burnet Miller's former addition between the said addition and the 70th lot in this division, the said highway to be two poles wide into the north end of the 69th lot, and a highway out of Amagansett highway eastward of the

17th lot to William Hedges' land that joins to Nathan Miller's close two poles wide. All these last mentioned roads are to be open highways as they are staked out.

Then a highway two poles wide on the west side of Eliphelet Stratton's Northwest close, from one path to the other and a two pole highway to Isaac Hedges' bars out of a northwest path straight as it is staked out, with a passage also out of Seth Parsons' close at the path, and a two pole highway along Stephen Hand's path from the northernmost northwest path running southward along by Thomas Mulford's close until it meets with the other road as they are all staked out.

Then we the said commissioners do lay out a highway four poles wide across the ends of Thomas Mulford's home lot, Capt. Baker's lot, and so all the lots to Isaac Chatfield's, southwest corner of his lot to the country road.

Then we laid out a highway six poles wide along the cove hollow through this division as it is staked out. Then a four pole highway across from Sag Harbor highway to the country road. Then we laid out Buckskiln path two poles wide on each side of the middle of the path to be an highway.

Then we laid out a highway running from Stephen Hand's path to meet the cross highway, then a highway four poles wide between Buckskiln highway and the harbor highway. Then we laid out a highway between the country road and Buckskiln highway to run from Stephen Hand's to meet the cross highway as they are staked out between the tiers of lots.

Then we laid out these three highways at Wainscott, viz : a highway from Obadiah's to the country road as straight as it is laid out which has but one turn in it, which is about 60 poles from Obadiah's house, the path turns a little more eastward. And one highway along by the Wainscott lots to the country road four poles wide in the narrowest place and

some places wider, as they are staked out. Then a highway four poles wide running from the west Wainscott against John Talmage's cleared land straight towards Stephen Hand's land by the creek as it is staked out. All the above are to be open highways as staked out.

Then we laid out these passing roads following, to wit : a passing road through the 116th lot for Daniel Dayton and John Dayton to go through, lead horses and drive oxen, but not other cattle or sheep ; and a passing road through the same 116th lot for Burnet Miller to pass into his land. They must all enter in at one pair of bars or gate, then go where it is most convenient to their several closes.

Then we laid out a passing road for Daniel Dayton and one for John Dayton to pass to their closes through the 117th lot as they are staked out ; and a passing road for Lemuel Hedges to pass to his close, through the 103d lot that adjoins to the said close.

All the highways and roads, both open and passing, which are within mentioned, are laid out or allowed to be and stand for highways, passing or open as it is within specified, until succeeding commissioners shall see fit and convenient to alter the same, as witness our hands.

NATHANIEL DOMINY,	} Commis-
ELIPHELET STRETTON,	
DANIEL DAYTON,	
	sioners.

Page 100.—We, the commissioners for the time being, do allow the highway that runs across the ends of Thomas Mulford's and Capt. Baker's home lots and extends to the west corner of Justice Chatfield's lot, may be fenced according to the town vote, and be only a passing road for the term of one whole year and then to be opened, as witness our hands.

NATHANIEL BAKER,	} Commis-
LION GARDINER,	
	sioners.

Marks, page 30.—Elisha Howell entereth for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the left ear and one half penny on the upper side of the same ear. Entered April 7th, 1746, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Stephen Hedges, Jr., entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and one half penny on each side of the same ear. Entered April 11th, 1746, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Samuel Merry entereth for his son Samuel's ear mark an ell on the under side of the right ear and a crop on the left ear, and a slit on the same ear. Entered June 3d, 1746, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Stephen Hedges entereth for his ear mark one half penny on the under side of each ear and one slit in the right ear. Entered January 2d, 1746, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 30.—Joseph Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and two slits in the same ear.

Entered March 14th, 1746, by

CORNELIUS CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 25.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton, April 7th, 1747, it being our election day, were then chosen twelve Trustees, two Constables, two Assessors, &c.

Aaron Fithian,

Eleazer Miller,

Will. Osborn,

Will. Hedges,

Cornelius Conkling, Jr.

Samuel Parsons, Jr.

Stephen Hedges,

Nathan Dayton,

John Parsons the 4th,

Capt. Matthew Mulford,

Josiah Miller,

Jeremiah Osborn.

Beriah Dayton and Simon Conkling were chosen constables.

Jeremiah Mulford and John Mulford were chosen assessors.

Nathan Conkling and John Huntting were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jonathan Stratton was chosen collector.

Recompence Sherril, Jr. and Seth Parsons were chosen fence viewers.

Capt. Nathaniel Baker, Lion Gardiner and Thomas Mulford, surveyors of highways.

Cornelius Conkling, Jr. was chosen supervisor.

Burnet Miller was chosen town clerk.

The Freeholders and Proprietors of East Hampton being legally met and assembled together, April 7th, 1747, did then agree by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Montauk for the time and term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, not having right or not being duly listed and entered according to the order of the Trustees of this town, shall be and are liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind so impounded paying five shillings current money for each horse kind so impounded.

On the pay abovesaid it was also agreed on by major vote of the proprietors of Montauk that it is and shall be lawful to impound all neat cattle that shall be found grazing on Montauk not having right or not being entered according to the the order of the Trustees, for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid, according as it shall be stinted, the owner or owners of all neat cattle so impounded paying five shillings for each neat beast so impounded.

Page 25½.—On the day abovesaid it was agreed upon by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that it is and shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing on

Montauk without liberty from the Trustees of this town for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid, the owner or owners of all swine so impounded paying three shillings for each swine so impounded, the Indians' swine only excepted, they not exceeding their number.

On the day abovesaid it was also agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that it is and shall be lawful to impound all sheep that shall be found grazing on Montauk for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid, not having right for the same and not being duly entered or listed according to the stent, the owner or owners of all sheep so impounded paying six pence for each sheep so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all horse kind, neat cattle sheep or swine that shall be found grazing in the fatting field, not having right for the same or without liberty from the Trustees, the owner or owners of all neat cattle, sheep or swine so impounded paying five shillings for each horse kind, five shillings for each neat beast, three shillings for each swine and six pence for each sheep so impounded, and two shillings for each weaned calf that shall be found grazing in the fatting field pasture not having right or without liberty from the Trustees, if impounded.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that the fence at the hither end of Montauk, is to begin at common high water mark at the south sea, and so to run across to the north sea or Sound, said fence to be three feet and ten inches high from the south sea to the Sound, and to continue running into the water, until the water is three feet deep at the end of said fence, shall be accounted a sufficient and lawful fence.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid, that four weaned calves shall be equal to one neat beast in the fatting field.

Also agreed on by major vote that no person or persons shall cut down or in any way destroy or carry off Montauk any timber, fencing stuff or wood for the term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, without liberty from the Trustees.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid, that all small stone horses running or ranging on Montauk having two winters over them, are liable to be gelt after the 25th day of April. After the date abovesaid the owner or owners of all horses gelt as abovesaid paying according to the act of Assembly made and provided for that intent.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any horse kind be legally impounded off of Montauk at any time within the term of one whole year from the date, and the owner or owners thereof cannot be found in forty-eight hours after their being impounded according to said vote, or no person will appear in that time any pay the poundage as abovesaid, that in such case all such horse kind so impounded may be sold at a public outcry, and after the poundage and charges of sale be deducted the overplus to be returned to the owner if he can be found. Or if any person have notice given him or them, may be sold in manner as abovesaid.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine be found grazing in the Indian field after the said field is shut up until the fattening cattle be put into said field, excepting the Indians' own creatures, they not exceeding their number, may be impounded, the owners of all such neat cattle or horse kind paying five shillings for each neat beast or horse kind so impounded; such creatures only excepted having liberty from the trustees of this town.

Also it was agreed upon by major vote that the trustees have full power to agree with a man to keep at the hither end of Montauk to take an account of the neat cattle and other

creatures that are to be put on said land for the time of one year from the date abovesaid and no longer.

Also agreed upon by major vote on the day abovesaid that one horse kind shall go on Montauk in room of two neat catla for the year ensuing.

Also it was agreed by major vote on the day abovesaid, 72 neat cattle be the full number to go on Montauk to one whole share for the year ensuing.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that 7 sheep shall go on Montauk in the room of one neat beast.

Also it was agreed by major vote on the day abovesaid that the trustees of this town have and shall have full power to manage Montauk as to fencing, stenting or pasturing Montauk or any part thereof as they shall order and appoint for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid.

Also it was agreed upon by major vote that the trustees have full power to agree with a man to keep the fatting field at Montauk for the time of one year from the date abovesaid.
Entered per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, Page 46½.—A record of lands laid out pursuant to the trustees' order, called the Three Acre Division, laid out in three lots to 1 allotment of commonage, and so mated or put together in order to make them as equal as they could in goodness before the lots were drawn by Nathaniel Dominy, Jun., Jeremiah Mulford, and other assistants. The said lots were drawn the thirtieth day of March, annoq'dm 1747.

The first, hundred and seventeenth, and hundred and thirty-fifth lots:

No 1. Was drawn by Capt. Nathaniel Baker, 13 acres of

commonage. Bounded east by the harbor highway, south partly by William Conkling's land and partly by Jeremiah Mulford's home lot, west by Judge Chatfield's land, north by a ten pole highway, containing 13 acres.

117. Lying at the cove hollow. Bounded northeast by a highway, southeast by the hundred and sixteenth lot and joining to John Dayton and Daniel Dayton's to the south, southwest by the hundred and fifteenth lot, northwest by the cove hollow highway, containing 13 acres.

135. Lying joining to the country road against Wainscott. Bounded east by the hundred and thirty-fourth lot, south by partly by John Talmage's land and partly a highway, west by the hundred and thirty-eighth lot, north by the country road, containing 10 acres.

The second, hundred and thirty-fourth, and ninety-ninth lots were drawn by David Conkling, $6\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 36 poles of commonage; John Edwards, 4 acres; Henry Conkling, $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres; Eliphelet Stratton, 4 poles of commonage.

No. 2 lot. Bounded east by the harbor highway, south by a ten pole highway, west by the middle highway, north by the fourth lot, containing 13 acres.

134th lot. Bounded east by the hundred and thirty-third lot, south partly by a highway and partly by John Talmage's land, west by the hundred and thirty-fifth lot, north by the country road, containing 10 acres.

99th lot. Lying on the brushy plain to the north of the tan creek. Bounded east by the ninety-eighth lot, south by a highway, west by the hundredth lot, north by a highway, containing 12 acres.

The third, hundred and thirty-third, and hundredth lots were drawn by Samuel Hedges, nine acres of commonage; Henry Hudson 2, and Daniel Edwards 2 acres,

No. 3 lot. Bounded east by the harbor highway, south by the second lot, west by the middle highway, north by the fourth lot, containing 13 acres.

133d lot. Bounded east by the hundred and second lot, south by a highway, west by the hundred and thirty-fourth lot, and north by the country road, containing 10 acres.

100th lot. Lying on the brushy plain near the tan creek. Bounded east by the ninety-ninth lot, south by a highway, west by the hundred and first lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

Page 47.— The fourth, hundred and thirty-second, and hundred and thirteenth lots were drawn by Thomas Mulford, $12\frac{1}{4}$ acres and $34\frac{2}{3}$ poles of commonage; Elisha Mulford, $\frac{1}{2}$ acre and $5\frac{1}{3}$ poles.

No. 4 lot. Bounded east by the harbor highway, south by the third lot, west by the middle highway, north by the fifth lot, containing 13 acres.

132d lot. Bounded east by the hundred and thirty-first lot, south by a highway, west by the hundred and thirty-third lot, north by the country road, containing 10 acres.

113th lot. Bounded east by the highway that runs across the ends of the home lots, south by the country road, west by the cove hollow highway, north by the hundred and fourteenth lot, containing 13 acres.

The fifth, hundred and fourteenth, and hundred and thirty-sixth lots were drawn by Josiah Miller, 11 acres of commonage; Thomas Filer, 1 acre; Susanna Loper, 1 acre.

No. 5 lot. Bounded east by the harbor highway, south by the fourth lot, west by the middle highway, north by the forty-seventh lot, containing 13 acres.

114th lot. Bounded east by a highway that runs across the end of the home lot, south by the hundred and thirteenth lot,

west by the cove hollow highway, north partly by the hundred and fifteenth lot and joining or surrounds Burnet Miller's land partly, containing 13 acres.

136th lot. Lying near Jedediah Osborne's at Wainscott. Bounded east by a highway, south by the hundred thirty-seventh lot, west by a highway, north by a highway, containing 12 acres.

The sixth, hundred and thirty-ninth and seventy-third lots were drawn by Nathaniel Dominy, $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres, Nathaniel Dominy, Jr. $4\frac{1}{4}$ acres, John Dominy, $4\frac{1}{4}$ acres.

No. 6 lot. Bounded east and south by the Fire Place highway, west by the Harbor highway, north by the seventh lot, containing 13 acres.

139 lot, near Obediah Osborn, at Wainscott, bounded southeast by the highway that goes to Wainscott, southwest by a highway, northeast by the hundred and fortieth lot, in a triangular form, containing 13 acres.

73 lot. Bounded north by Sag Harbor highway, east by the cove hollow highway and joining to the north end, and northwest side of Burnet Miller's land and southwest part by Lemuel Hedges' land and part by the ninety-fifth lot, and northwest by the seventy fourth lot, containing 12 acres

Page 47 $\frac{1}{2}$.—The 7th, hundred thirty-one and ninety-fourth lots were drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Huntting, 11 acres of commonage, Nathaniel Huntting, Jr. 2 acres.

No. 7 lot. Bounded east partly by the Fire Place highway, and partly by a middle highway, south by the sixth lot, west by the Harbor highway, north by the eighth lot, containing 13 acres.

131 lot. Bounded east by Wainscott northwest highway, south by a highway, west by the hundred thirty-second lot, north by the country road, 10 acres contained in it.

94 lot. Bounded southeast by the ninety-fifth lot, southwest by the highway that the southend people go to Sag Harbor in, northwest by the ninety-third lot, and northeast partly by the seventy-fifth and partly by the seventy-fourth lots, containing 13 acres.

The eighth, hundred fortieth and hundred seventh lot were drawn by John Mulford, 13 acres of commonage.

No. 8 lot. Bounded east by a highway, south by the seventh lot, west by the Harbor highway, north by the ninth lot, containing 13 acres.

140 lot. Bounded southeast by Wainscott highway, southwest by the hundred and thirty-ninth lot, north by a highway. It is a triangular piece, containing 13 acres.

170 lot, lying near Ph. Filer's, bounded southeast by the hundred eighth lot, southwest by the country road, northwest by a highway, northeast by the ninety-seventh lot, containing 14 acres.

The ninth, hundred six and eighty-fifth lot were drawn by Joseph Osborn 5 acres of commonage, Jeremiah Osborn 4, Thomas Osborn 4.

No. 9 lot. Bounded east by a highway, south by the eighth lot, west by the Harbor highway, north by the tenth lot, containing 13 acres.

106 lot, lying back of Thomas Filer's lot, bounded east by a highway, south by Thomas Filer's home lot, west by the hundred and fifth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres

85 lot. Bounded north by highway, east by the eighty-sixth lot, south by a highway, west by Stephen Hand's path or highway, containing 13 acres.

The tenth, hundred thirtieth and ninety-fifth lots were drawn by John Hedges 6 acres of commonage, Lemuel Hedges 6 acres, Charles Glover 1 acre.

No. 10 lot. Bounded east by a highway, south by the ninth lot, west by the harbor highway, north by a piece of land that was laid to the thirty-fifth lot, containing 13 acres.

Page 48.—130 lot. Bounded east by the hundred and twenty-ninth lot, south by a highway, west by Wainscott northwest highway, north by the country road, containing 10 acres.

95 lot. Bounded sontheast by Lemuel Hedges' close to the west of the cove hollow, southwest by a highway, northwest by the ninety-fourth lot, northeast partly by the seventy-fourth and partly by the seventy-third lots, containing 12 acres.

The eleventh, eighteenth and forty-ninth lots were drawn by Thomas Talmage $11\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 10 poles, Samuel Hunting 1 acre, Lemuel Hedges 30 poles of commonage.

No 11 lot. Bounded east by a 4 pole highway running the west side of Dominy's lily hill close, south by a three pole highway, west by the Fireplace highway. It is a triangular piece containing 11 acres.

18 lot, lying beyond Nathan Miller's, bounded east by the nineteenth lot, south by the highway that goes to Amagansett, west by a highway, north by William Hedges' land, containing 13 acres.

49 lot, lying to the north of Chatfield's sandy hook close, bounded east by the middle highway, south by the ten pole highway, west by Mr. Hunting's land, north by the fiftieth lot, containing 13 acres.

The twelfth, seventy-second and sixty-first lots were drawn by Burnet Miller, 13 acres of commonage.

No. 12 lot. Bounded southwardly by John Parsons the 4th home lot, northwest by a highway, northeast by the thirteenth lot, containing 13 acres.

72 lot, lying at high land, bounded east by the bank, south by the highway, southwest by the seventy-first lot, northwest by a highway, containing seventeen acres.

61 lot, lying on Indian well plain, bounded east by the sixteenth lot, south by the sixty-second lot, west and northwest by highways, containing 10 acres.

The thirteenth, seventy-first and fifty-fourth lot was drawn by Eliphelet Stratton, 13 acres of commonage.

No. 13 let. Bounded east by the fourteenth lot, south by Daniel Osborn's land, west by the twelfth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

71 lot, at high land, bounded northeast by the seventy-second lot, southeast by a highway, southwest by the seventieth lot, northwest by the highway, containing 15 acres.

54 lot, lying at Indian well plain, bounded east by the fifty fifth lot, south by the highway, northwest by Daniel Conkling's land and other lands, containing 13 acres

Page 48½.—The fourteenth, fifty-eighth, and forty-third lots were drawn by Ichabod Leek, 5 acres; Daniel Leek, 4 acres: Samuel Parsons, Jr., 4 acres of commonage.

14th lot. Bounded east by fifteenth lot, south by Daniel Osborn's land, west by the thirteenth lot, north by the highway, containing 13 acres.

58th lot. Lying on Indian Well plain. Bounded south by a highway, west by the fifty-ninth lot, north by a highway. It is a triangular piece containing 13 acres.

43d lot. Lying between the two Accabonac paths. Bounded east by the highway, south by the forty-second lot, west and north by highways, containing 13 acres.

The fifteenth, seventieth, and forty-second lots were drawn by Daniel Dayton, 7 acres; John Davis 1½ acres and 20

poles ; Lion Gardiner, 4 acres and 20 poles ; Charles Glover $\frac{1}{4}$ of commonage.

15th lot. Bounded east by a highway, south partly by common land and a small part by Daniel Osborn's land, west by the fourteenth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

70th lot. Bounded east by the seventy-first lot, south by Montauk highway, west by the sixty-ninth lot, north partly by a new highway and partly by the highway that goes down to Abraham's highway, containing 15 acres.

42d lot. Bounded east by old Accabonac highway, south by the forty-first lot, west by a highway, north by the forty-third lot, containing 13 acres.

The sixteenth, hundred and eleventh, and fiftieth lots were drawn by Nathan Dayton, 5 acres ; Henry Dayton, 5 acres , Isaac Hedges, $2\frac{3}{4}$ acres ; Recompence Sherrill, $\frac{1}{4}$ acre of commonage.

160th lot. Bounded east by the seventeenth lot, south by the highway that goes to Amagansett, west and north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

111th lot. Bounded south by a highway, north by the country road, southeast by the cove hollow highway. It is a triangular piece, containing 11 acres.

50th lot. Bounded east by the middle highway, south by the forty-ninth lot, west by Mr. Huntting's land, north by the fifty-first lot, containing 13 acres.

The seventeenth, sixty-second, and hundred and twenty-sixth lots were drawn by Jeremiah Mulford, $8\frac{1}{2}$ acres ; Ezekiel Jones, 3 acres : Thomas Dibble and son, $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres of commonage.

17th lot. Bounded south by the highway that leads to Amagansett, west by the sixteenth lot, north by Nathan Miller's land, east by a highway, containing 13 acres.

62d lot. Bounded east by the sixtieth lot, south by a highway, west by a highway, north by the sixty-first lot, containing 10 acres.

126th lot. Lying by Henry Miller's house. Bounded north by Wainscott highway, east and south partly by Stephen Hand's land, partly by Georgica pond, partly by the proprietors' land that Henry Miller improves, west by a highway, containing 14 acres.

Page 49.—The nineteenth, hundred and forty-first, and thirty-fifth lots were drawn by Mr. Nathaniel Hunting, 13 acres of commonage.

19th lot. Bounded east by the twentieth lot, south by Amagansett highway, west partly by the eighteenth lot and partly by William Hedges' land, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

141st lot. Bounded south by Seth Parsons', Isaac Hedges', and Elisha Mulford's northwest plain closes, west by Stephen Hand's highway, north by Northwest highway, east by same highway, it being cut in two pieces by an open highway from Joshua's hole to Isaac Hedges' bars and Seth's bars, with an addition lying westward of Eliphelet Stratton's close, bounded on all sides by highways. It is a triangular piece, all these pieces containing 12 acres.

35th lot. Bounded east by old Acabonac highway, south by Nathaniel Dominy's Lilly hill close, west by the Fireplace highway, north by the thirty-sixth lot, containing 10 acres, with an addition of 3 acres by Mr. Gardiner's round swamp close, bounded south by the tenth lot and all other sides by highways.

The twentieth, fifty-fifth, and twenty-eighth lots were drawn by Matthias Hopping, $5\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 20 poles; John Hand, 5 acres; Stephen Hand, $\frac{3}{4}$ of an acre; Hezekiah Miller, $1\frac{1}{4}$ acres and 20 poles of commonage.

20th lot. Bounded east by the twenty-first lot, south by Amagansett highway, west by the nineteenth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

55th lot. Bounded east by the fifty-sixth lot, south by a highway, west by the fifty-fourth lot, north partly by Capt. Isaac Barnes' land and partly by a highway, containing 13 acres.

25th lot. Bounded southwest by Daniel Edwards' land, northwest by old Acabonac highway, east and south by highways, containing 13 acres.

The twenty-first, fifty-first, and fifty-sixth lots were drawn by Capt. Matthew Mulford, 13 acres of commonage.

21st lot, with part of fifty-first lot. Bounded north by the twentieth lot and all other sides by highways, both pieces containing 21 acres.

51st lot. The other part bounded east by the middle highway, south by the fiftieth lot, west by Mr. Hunting's land, north by Capt. Nath'll Baker's land, containing 8 acres.

56th lot. Bounded east partly by Isaac Barnes' land and partly by the fifty-seventh lot, south by the highway, west by the fifty-fifth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

The twenty-second, forty-eighth and one hundred second lots were drawn by Elisha Osborn 6 acres, John Talmage 4 acres, Elias Hand 3 acres of commonage.

22d lot. Bounded east by the hundred and eighteenth lot, south part by common land and part by William Hedges, north by Amagansett highway. It is a triangular piece containing 13 acres.

48th lot. Bounded east by the Harbor highway, south by the forty-seventh lot, west by a highway, north by Osborn's land, containing 18 acres.

Page 49½.—102d lot. Bounded east by the one hundred

and fifth lot, south by a highway, west by Stephen Hand's highway, north by a highway, containing 12 acres.

The twenty-third, one hundred and first and one hundred and twenty-third lots were drawn by Jeremiah Dayton $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres, William Barns $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres, John Dimon 4 acres of Commonage.

23d lot. Bounded east, south and west by highways, north by the twenty-fourth lot, containing 13 acres.

101 lot. Bounded east by the one hundredth lot, south by a highway, west by one hundred and second lot, north by Buckskill highway, containing 13 acres.

123d lot. Bounded east and south by Nathaniel Baker's Harbor close, west by a highway, north by the hundred and twenty-fourth lot, containing 12 acres.

The twenty-fourth, ninety-eighth and sixty-ninth lots were drawn by Isaac Barns and son, $7\frac{3}{4}$ acres and 31 poles, Daniel Baker 5 acres, John Talmage 9 poles of commonage.

24th lot. Bounded east by a highway, south by the twenty third lot, west by a highway, north by part of the fifty-second lot, containing 13 acres.

98th lot. Bounded east by a cross highway, south by a highway, west by the ninety-ninth lot, north by Buckskill highway, containing 13 acres.

69th lot. Containing 15 acres, bounded east by the seventieth lot, south by Montauk highway, west by the sixty-eighth lot, north by Burnet Miller's land.

The twenty-fifth, forty-sixth and ninety-seventh lots were drawn by William Osborn 6 acres, Elisha Mulford 6 acres, $75\frac{1}{4}$ poles, Capt. Hunting 33 poles, John Parsons the 4th 20 poles, Daniel Edwards $31\frac{3}{4}$ poles of commonage.

25th lot. Bounded east by Abraham Gardiner's land, south

by the twenty-sixth lot, west by a highway, north by part of the hundred and twentieth lot, containing 13 acres.

46th lot. Bounded east by the Fireplace highway, west by a highway, north by forty-fifth lot. It is a triangular piece containing 13 acres.

97th lot. Bounded east by the ninety-sixth lot, south part by the hundred and eighth and part by the hundred and seventh lots, west by a highway, north by Buckskill highway, containing 13 acres.

The twenty-sixth, ninety-sixth and forty-fifth lots were drawn by Burnet Miller, 13 acres of commonage.

No. 26 lot. Bounded east by Mat Gardiner's land, south by the twenty-seventh lot, west by a highway, north by the twenty-fifth lot, containing 13 acres.

96 lot, bounded east by Daniel Dayton's land, south part by the hundred ninth lot and part by the hundred and eighth lot, north by Buckskill highway, west by the ninety-seventh lot, containing 13 acres.

45th lot. Bounded east by the Fireplace highway, south by the forty-sixth lot, west by a highway, north by the forty-fourth lot, containing 13 acres.

The twenty-seventh, eighty-sixth, and forty-seventh lots were drawn by Mr. David Gardiner, 13 acres of commonage.

27th lot. Bounded east by said Gardiner's land, south partly by Jacob Schellinx's land and partly by part of the hundred and twentieth lot, west by a highway, north by the twenty-sixth lot, containing 13 acres.

86th lot. Bounded east by the eighty-seventh lot, south by buckskill highway, west by the eighty-fifth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

47th lot. Bounded east by the harbor highway, south by the fifth lot, west by the middle highway, north by the forty-eighth lot, containing 17 acres.

The twenty-ninth, eighty-seventh, and fifty-third lots were drawn by David Gardiner, 13 acres of commonage.

29th lot. Bounded east by the thirtieth lot, south by the highway, west by a highway, north by Gideon Hedges' little-worth close lying half around the same, containing 13 acres.

87th lot. Bounded east by the eighty-eighth lot, south by buckskill highway, west by the eighty-sixth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

Page 50½ —The thirtieth, sixty-fifth, and hundred and fifth lots were drawn by Jeremiah Conkling, 6½ acres; Ephraim Burnet, 3½ acres; William Edwards, 2½ acres; John Terry, ½ acre of commonage.

30th lot. Bounded east partly by the thirty-first lot and partly by Nathaniel Dominy's Amagansett close, south by a highway, west partly by the twenty-ninth lot and partly by Gideon Hedges' close, north partly by old Accabonac highway, containing 13 acres.

65th lot. Bounded east by the sixty-sixth lot, south by Montauk highway, west by a highway, north by Jonathan Baker's land, containing 13 acres.

105th lot. Bounded east partly by the hundred and sixth lot and partly by Thomas Filer's home lot, south by the country road, west by the hundred and fourth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

The thirty-first, sixty-sixth, and hundred and fourth lots were drawn by Samuel Parsons, 5 acres; Robert and John Parsons, 8 acres of commonage.

31st lot. Bounded east by the thirty-second lot, south by Nathaniel Dominy's land, west by the thirtieth lot, north by old Accabonac highway, containing 13 acres.

66th lot. Bounded east by the sixty-seventh lot, south by the highway, west by the sixty-fifth lot, north partly by

Jonathan Baker's land and partly by David Conkling's land, containing 13 acres.

104th lot. Bounded east by the hundred and fifth lot, south by the country road, west by the hundred and third lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

The thirty-second, hundred and twenty-first, and eighty-eighth lots were drawn by Aaron Fithian, 7 acres; Simon Conkling, 3 acres; the heirs of Jeremiah Conkling, deceased, 2 acres; Samuel Huntting, 1 acre of commonage.

32d lot. Bounded east by the thirty-third lot, south partly by Josiah Miller's land and partly by Nathaniel Dominy's land, west by the thirty-first lot, northwest by old Accabonac highway, containing 13 acres.

121st lot. Bounded east by Capt. Matthew Mulford's Amagansett close and other laid out land, south by a highway, west by a highway. It is a triangular piece, containing 11 acres.

88th lot. Bounded east by the eighty-ninth lot, south by buckskill highway, west by the eighty-seventh lot, and north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

Page 51.—The thirty-third, eighty-ninth, and sixty-third lots were drawn by Elias Mulford, 13 acres of commonage.

33d lot. Bounded northeast by the thirty-fourth lot, and partly by William Conkling's land, southeast by William Conkling's and Josiah Miller's lands, southwest by the thirty-second lot, northwest by old Accabonac highway, containing 13 acres.

89th lot. Bounded east by the ninetieth lot, south by buckskill highway, west by the eighty-eighth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

63d lot. Bounded east by the sixty-fourth lot, south by a highway, west by the fifty-seventh lot, north by Barnes' and Simon Conkling's lands, containing 13 acres.

The thirty-fourth, fifty-seventh, and thirty-sixth lots were drawn by Gideon Hedges, 5 acres ; Benjamin Conkling, 3 acres ; Jonathan Baker, 3 acres ; William Conkling, 2 acres of commonage.

34th lot. Bounded northeast by the hundred and twenty-second lot, southeast by Barnes' and William Conkling's land, southwest by the thirty-third lot, northeast by old Accabonac highway, containing 13 acres.

57th lot. Bounded east by the sixty-third lot, south by Montauk road, west by the fifty-sixth lot, north by Barnes' land, containing 13 acres.

35th lot. Bounded east by old Accabonac highway, south by the thirty-fifth lot, west by the Fireplace highway, north by the thirty-seventh lot, containing 13 acres.

The thirty-seventh, hundred and twenty-second, and seventy-ninth lots were drawn by John Parsons the 4th, 9 acres; Elias and Jonathan Conkling, $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres ; Nathan Miller, $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres of commonage.

37th lot. Bounded east by old Accabonac path, south by the thirty-sixth lot, west by the Fireplace highway, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

122d lot. Bounded northeast by common land and highway, southeast by Barnes' land, southwest part by Barnes' land and part by the thirty-fourth lot, northwest by old Accabonac highway, containing 13 acres.

79th lot. Bounded southeast by a highway, southwest by a highway, northwest by the eightieth lot, northeast by the seventy-eighth lot part and partly by Elemeul Hedges' wood close lying half round the same, containing 10 acres.

The thirty-eighth, seventy-fourth and one hundred thirty-eighth lots were draw by Eleazer Miller—13 acres of commonage.

38th lot. Bounded east by old Accabonac path or highway, south by a highway, west by the Fireplace highway, north by the thirty-ninth lot, containing $10\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

With an addition lying beyond Elisha Mulford's Northwest plain close, bounded by Stephen Hand's highway, northeast and southwest by the two northwest highways. It is a triangular piece containing $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

74th lot. Bounded northeast by the highway that leads down to Sag-Harbor, southeast by the seventy-third, southwest by the ninety-fifth and ninety-fourth lots, northwest by the seventy-fifth lot, containing 13 acres.

138th lot. Bounded northeast by a highway, southeast partly by a highway, part by Obediah's lot and part by Hoping's land, southwest by a highway, northwest part by Jedediah Osborn's home lot and part by the hundred and thirty-seventh lot, containing 8 acres, with another containing $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded east by the hundred thirty-fifth lot, southwest by a highway, north by the country road.

The thirty-ninth, seventy-fifty and sixty-fourth lots were drawn by Daniel Osborn, $4\frac{1}{4}$ acres, $13\frac{1}{3}$ poles, Daniel Osborn, Jr., $5\frac{1}{4}$ acres and $13\frac{1}{3}$ poles, Thomas Osborn $3\frac{1}{4}$ acres $13\frac{1}{3}$ poles of commonage.

39 lot. Bounded east by old Accobonac highway, south by the thirty-eighth lot, west by the Fireplace highway, north by the fortieth lot, containing 13 acres

75 lot. Bounded north by Sag Harbor highway, east by the seventy-fourth lot, south by the ninety-fourth, west by the seventy-sixth lot, containing 13 acres.

64 lot. Bounded east by a highway, south by Montauk highway, west by the sixty-third lot, north by Sineus Conkling's land, containing 13 acres.

The fortieth, sixty-seventh and seventy-sixth lots were

drawn by Stephen Hedges 6 acres, James Hand 3 acres and 10 poles, Abraham Gardiner $\frac{3}{4}$ acre 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ poles, Burnet Miller $\frac{1}{4}$ of an acre 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ poles, Samuel Parsons, Jr. 17 poles, widow Rebekah Talmage 4 poles, Daniel Petty $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre, John Talmage 14 poles, Elias Hand 10 poles, John Dimon $\frac{1}{4}$ an acre 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ poles, Jeremiah Dayton 30 poles, Catherine the wife of Thomas Mulford 1 acre, Ezekiel Jones $\frac{1}{4}$ an acre, Capt. Cornelius Conkling 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ poles, Samuel Hedges 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ poles of commonage.

40 lot. Bounded east by old Accabonac highway, south by the thirty-ninth lot, west by the Fireplace highway, north by the forty-first lot, containing 13 acres.

67 lot. Bounded eastwardly by the sixty-eighth lot, south by Montauk highway, west by seventy-sixth lot, north by Burnet Miller and David Conkling's land, containing 13 acres.

76 lot. Bounded north by Sag Harbor road, east by the seventy-fifth lot, south by the ninety-third, west by the seventy-seventh lot, containing 13 acres.

Page 52.—The forty-first, sixty-eighth and seventy-eighth, were drawn by William Hedges, 13 acres.

41 lot. Bounded east by old Accabonack path, south by the fortieth lot, west by the Fireplace highway, north by the forty-second lot, containing 13 acres.

68 lot. Bounded east by the sixty-ninth lot, south by Montauk highway, west by 67th lot, north by Burnet Miller's land, containing 13 acres.

78 lot. Bounded southeast by a highway, southwest part by Lemuel Hedges' land and part by the seventy-ninth lot, northwest by the eightieth lot, north by the highway that leads to Sag Harbor, containing 13 acres.

The forty-fourth, hundred fifteenth and hundred twenty-seventh lots were drawn by Sineus Conkling 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ acres 4 poles

Joseph Hicks 3 acres, Jeremiah Conkling 16 poles, Daniel Miller on the Hand's right at Cape May 20 poles, Benjamin Leek 1 acre of commonage.

44 lot. Bounded eastwardly by the Fireplace highway, south by the forty-fifth lot, west and north by highways, containing 13 acres.

115 lot. Bounded east by the highway that runs across the lot ends, south by the hundred and fourteenth lot partly and partly by Burnet Miller's land, west by the cove hollow highway, north by the hundred and sixteenth lot, containing 13 acres, including one acre more belonging to Burnet Miller, which was allowed to him for a highway to his close for or in lieu of land that he laid down or flung out for highways, the said land allowed him by the trustees for leaving Wainscott northwest path an open highway through his lands.

127 lot. Bounded east by Wainscott highway, south by a highway, west by the hundred twenty-eighth lot, north by the country road, containing 11 acres.

The fifty-second ninety-first and hundred and eighth lots were drawn by William Hedges, Jr. $3\frac{1}{4}$ acres and $13\frac{1}{2}$ poles, the heirs of Jeremiah Hedges, deceased, 1 acre, William Hedges 2 acres and 4 poles, the heirs of Capt. Talmage $6\frac{1}{2}$ acres and $22\frac{2}{3}$ poles of commonage.

52 lot. Bounded east by a highway, south by the twenty-fourth lot, west by a highway and north by a highway that leads to Amagansett closes, containing 7 acres, with another piece containing $7\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded east by a highway, south by Nathan Miller's home lot and Daniel Osborn's close, west by common land, north by a highway, containing $14\frac{1}{2}$ acres in both pieces.

Page 52 $\frac{1}{2}$.—91 lot. Bounded east by a highway, south by Brick kiln highway, north by a highway, west by the ninetyeth lot, containing 13 acres.

100 lot. Bounded east by the hundred ninth lot, south by the country road, west by the hundred and seventh lot, north partly by the ninety-seventh and partly by the hundred and sixth lot, containing 14 acres.

The eighty-second, ninety-second, and hundred and twentieth lots were drawn by Seth Parsons, 8 acres; John Parsons, 3 acres; Noah Barns, 2 acres of commonage.

82d lot. Bounded east by the eighty-first lot, south by a highway, west by the eighty-third lot, north by the highway that leads to Sag Harbor, containing 13 acres.

92d lot. Bounded east by the ninety-third lot, south by buckskill highway, west by a cross highway, north by the seventy-seventh lot, containing 12 acres.

120th lot. Bounded east by Jacob Schellinx's land or lot, south by Amagansett highway, west by a highway, north by the twenty-seventh lot, containing 10 acres, with another piece containing 4 acres. Bounded east by Gardiner's land, south by the twenty-fifth lot, west by a highway, north by the highway that leads to Amagansett, lot ends, containing 4 acres.

The eightieth, hundred and thirty-seventh, and ninety-third lots were drawn by John Stratton, $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 16 poles; John Dayton, $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 30 poles; Wd. Squire $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres; Samuel Hedges, 34 poles of commonage.

80th lot. Bounded east partly by the seventy-eighth and partly by the seventy-ninth lots, south by a highway, west by the eighty-first lot, north by Sag Harbor highway, containing 13 acres.

137th lot. Bounded east by Wainscott northwest highway, south partly by the hundred and thirty-eighth lot and partly by Jedediah Osborn's home lot, and partly by a highway, north by the hundred and thirty-sixth lot, containing 9 acres,

with an addition of 3 acres lying at Joshua's hole. Bounded east by Mr. Gardiner's close, south by Northwest highway, west partly by common land and partly by Nathaniel Dominy's land, north by Nathaniel Dominy's land.

93d lot. Bounded east by the ninety-fourth lot, south by the buckskill highway, west by the ninety-second lot, north by the seventy-sixth lot, containing 13 acres.

Page 53. The seventy-seventh, hundred and twelfth, and hundred and sixteenth lots were drawn by Capt. Cornelius Conkling 9 acres, John Stratton, Jr. 4 acres of commonage.

77th lot. Bounded east by the seventy-sixth, south by the ninety-second, west by a highway, north by a slanting highway and a small part by Sag-Harbor highway, containing 8 acres.

112th lot. Bounded east by the cove hollow highway, south by part of the hundred and third lot, west by Lemuel Hedges' land, north by Burnet Miller's land, containing 13 acres.

116th lot. Bounded east by the highway, south by the hundred and fifteenth lot, north partly by Daniel Dayton and Burnet Miller's land and partly by the hundred and seventeenth lot, northeast by a highway, containing 13 acres.

The hundred and ninth, twenty-eighth, and hundred and third lots were drawn by Jacob Schellenger 7 acres, John Mulford 4 acres, David Edwards 2 acres of commonage.

109th lot. Bounded east by the hundred and tenth, south by the country road, west by the hundred and eighth lot, north by the ninety-sixth lot, containing 13 acres.

128th lot. Bounded east by the hundred and twenty-seventh lot, south by a highway, west by the hundred and twenty-ninth lot, north by the country road, containing 10 acres.

103d lot. Bounded south by Buckskills highway, west by Lemuel Hedges' land, northeast by the hundred and twelfth

lot, containing $6\frac{1}{2}$ acres, with another piece containing $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres, bounded east by the hundred and fourth lot, south by the country road, west by a highway, north by a highway.

The eighty-third, nintieth and hundred and twenty-fourth lots were drawn by Isaac Mulford $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres, the heirs of Dr. Huntting $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres, Samuel Russel 2 acres of commonage.

83d lot. Bounded east by the eighty-second, south by a highway, west by the eighty-fourth lot, north by Sag Harbor highway, containing 13 acres.

90th lot. Bounded east by the ninety-first, south by Bucks kiln highway, west by the eighty-ninth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

124th lot. Bounded east by Capt. Baker's Harbor close, south by the hundred and twenty-third lot, west by a highway, north by the hundred and twenty-fifth lot, containing 12 acres.

Page 53 $\frac{1}{2}$.—The eighty-fourth, fifty ninth and hundred and eighteenth lots were drawn by Daniel Miller $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres and 7 poles, Joseph Conkling 6 acres and 26 poles to Jonathan Youngs, Elezer Miller $1\frac{3}{4}$ acres and $11\frac{1}{2}$ poles, Just. Thomas Chatfield $\frac{1}{4}$ of an acre and $34\frac{2}{3}$ poles of commonage.

84th lot. Bounded east by the eighty-third lot, south by a highway, west by Stephen Hand's highway, north by the highway that leads to Sag Harbor, containing 13 acres.

59th lot. Bounded east by the fiftv-eighth lot, south by Montauk road, west by the sixtieth lot, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

118 lot. Bounded east by the hundred and nineteenth lot, south by common land, west by the twenty-second lot, north by the highway that leads to Amagansett, containing 10 acres.

The eighty-first, sixtieth and hundred and nineteenth lots were drawn by Timothy Mulford and his brothers, 13 acres of commonage.

81st lot. Bounded east by the eightieth lot, south by a highway, west by the eighty-second lot, north by the highway that leads to Sag Harbor, containing 13 acres.

60th lot. Bounded east by fifty-ninth lot, south by Montauk highway, west part by the sixty-first and part by the sixty-second lots, north by a highway, containing 13 acres.

119th lot. Bounded east by Nathan Dayton's Schimhamton land, south by common land, west by the hundred and eighteenth lot, north by Amagansett highway, containing 10 acres.

The hundred and tenth, hundred and twenty-ninth and the hundred and twenty-fifth lots were drawn by Thomas Chatfield, Esq, 13 acres of commonage.

110th lot. Bounded north by John Hedges' and Daniel Dayton's land, east by the cove hollow highway, south by the country road, west by the hundred and ninth lot, containing 13 acres.

129th lot. Bounded east by the hundred and twenty-eighth lot, south by a cross highway, west by the hundred and thirtieth lot, north by the country road, containing 10 acres.

125th lot. Bounded east by Capt. Baker's Harbor land, south by the hundred and twenty-fourth lot, west by a highway, north by Simon Conkling's land, containing 12 acres.

Page 54.—A record of amendments belonging to lots in the three acre division, viz : one piece of land joining to the southwest end of Eleazer Miller's Amagansett close, containing $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres, belonging to lot No. 11, which was drawn by Thomas Talmage, Samnel Huntting and Samuel Hedges, bounded on all other sides by highways. It is a triangular piece.

One piece of land lying to the west of Stephen Hand's road, bounded east by said road, south by Sag Harbor road, west by John Stratton's and John Dayton's land, northeast by a highway, it belonging to the seventy-third lot drawn by Nathaniel Dominy and sons, containing $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

One piece of land lying near John Dimon's house, bounded southeast by the cove hollow highway, by a highway southwest that goes along by John Dimon's, northwest by John Hedges and other laid out lands, northeast by a highway, which piece is allowed to several lots to be equally divided amongst them, the owners of said land allowing all roads that are necessary for passing roads, as is and shall be necessary for people to pass and repass to their respective lands, viz : to the 99th, 95th, 70th, 44th and 116th lots.

And also one piece of meadow and swamp land lying along by the east side of the seventy-second lot, to be equally divided between the said seventy-second and seventy-first lots, all of the said land except what is already laid out.

Book E, page 26.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April 5th, 1748, it being our election day, were then chosen twelve Trustees, two Constables, two Assessors, &c.

Trustees—Capt. Nathaniel Baker,	Thomas Mulford,
Lion Gardiner,	John Mulford,
Jeremiah Mulford,	William Conkling,
Abraham Gardiner,	Elisha Conkling,
Recompence Sherril, Jr.	Isaac Mulford,
Burnet Miller,	Joseph Osborn.

Beriah Dayton and Timothy Mulford were chosen constables.

Nathan Conkling was chosen collector, gives 1 2-6.

Justice Thomas Chatfield and William Hedges, Jr., were chosen assessors.

Daniel Dayton, John Dayton and James Hand were chosen overseers of the poor.

Cornelius Conkling, Jr. was chosen supervisor.

Henry Dayton and Gideon Hedges were chosen fence viewers.

Capt. Matthew Mulford, Nathan Dayton and Stephen Hedges were chosen surveyors of the highways.

The freeholders and proprietors of East Hampton, being legally met and assembled together, April 5th, 1748, did then agree by major vote that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on Montauk for the time and term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, not having right or not being duly listed and entered according to the order of the Trustees of this town, shall and are liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind so impounded paying five shillings current money for each horse so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was also agreed on by major vote of the proprietors of Montauk that it is and shall be lawful to impound all neat cattle that shall be found grazing on Montauk not having right or not being duly entered according as it shall be stented, the owner or owners of all neat cattle so impounded paying five shillings for each neat beast so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that it shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing on Montauk without liberty from the trustees of this town for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid; the owner or owners of all swine so impounded paying three shillings for each swine so impounded, the Indians' swine only excepted, they not exceeding their number.

On the day abovesaid it was also agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that it is and shall be lawful to impound all sheep that shall be found grazing on Montauk for

the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid, not having right for the same or not being duly entered or listed according to the stent, the owner or owners of all such sheep so impounded paying six pence for each sheep so impounded.

Page 26½.—On the day aforesaid it was agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all horse kind, neat cattle, sheep and swine that shall be found grazing in the fatting field not having right for the same or without liberty from the trustees, the owner or owners of all horse kind, neat cattle, sheep and swine so impounded paying five shillings for each horse kind, five shillings for each neat beast three shillings for each swine and six pence for each sheep so impounded, and two shillings for each weaned calf that shall be found grazing in the fatting field pasture not having right for the same or without liberty from the trustees, if impounded.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day aforesaid that the fence at the hither end of Montauk is to begin at common high water mark at the south sea, and so to run across to the north sea or sound, said fence to be three feet and ten inches high from the south sea or sound, and to continue running in to the water until the water is three feet deep at the end of said fence, shall be accounted a lawful and sufficient fence.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day aforesaid, that four weaned calves shall be equal to one neat beast in the fatting field.

Also ordered by major vote that no person or persons shall cut down or any ways destroy or carry off of Montauk any timber fencing stuff for the term of one whole year from the date aforesaid, without liberty from the trustees.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that all small stone horses ranging or running on Montauk having two winters over them, are liable to be gelt after the twenty-

fifth day of April. After the date abovesaid the owner or owners of all horses gelt as abovesaid paying according to the act of assembly made and provided for that intent.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any horse kind be legally impounded off of Montauk at any time within the term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, and the owner or owners thereof cannot be found in forty-eight hours after their being impounded according to said vote, or no person will appear in that time and pay the poundage as abovesaid, that in such case all horse kind so impounded may be sold at a public outcry. and after the poundage and charges of sale be deducted the overplus to be returned to the owner if he can be found, or if any person have notice given him or them may be sold in manner as abovesaid.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine be found grazing in the Indian field after the said field is shut up until the fattening cattle be put into said field, excepting the Indians' own creatures, they not exceeding their number, may be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind or neat cattle paying five shillings for each horse kind or neat beast so impounded and three shillings for each swine and six pence for each sheep so impounded, such creatures only excepted having liberty from the trustees of this town.

Page 27.—Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid, that the trustees have full power to agree with a man to keep at the hither end of Montauk, to take an account of the neat cattle and other creatures that are to be put on said land for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid and no longer.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid

that one horse kind shall go on Montauk in the room of two neat cattle for the year ensuing.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid, seventy two neat cattle shall be the full number to go on Montauk to one whole share for the year ensuing.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the date abovesaid that seven sheep shall go on Montauk in the room of one neat beast.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that the Trustees of this town have and shall have full power to manage Montauk as to fencing, stinting and pasturing Montauk or any part thereof, as they shall order and appoint for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid.

Also it was agreed on by major vote that the Trustees have full power to agree with a man to keep the fattening field at Montauk for the time of one year from the date abovesaid.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid, that the Trustees have full power to sell the meadow grass at Montauk to the highest bidder, by way of vendue, this year. to mow, if thought convenient.

Also agreed on by major vote that any proprietor in Montauk have full power to impound all horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine that shall be found trespassing on Montauk, and to be paid according to the order above written for the time of one year from the date above written.

Also it was agreed on by major vote on the day above written that all bulls that go on Montauk after the tenth of June next shall go on right as other cattle, and all bulls that shall go on Montauk in the year forty-nine shall not carry on a beast, but only go free.

Also agreed on by major vote that sucking calves that go in ye fattening field shall go on right.

Also agreed on by major vote that it is and shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing or ranging

anywhere within our town bounds westward of Montauk for the time of one whole year from the date abovesaid; the owners paying one shilling for each swine so impounded for the time of one year from the date abovesaid. Entered by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 54½—Whereas the Commissioners thought convenient to have an open highway to run through Georgica pines, as the path now runs, which highway runs through an amendment of land of Captain Nathaniel Baker's, for which land the Trustees have granted liberty for the said Captain Baker to take up near the head of Davis' meadow at Northwest about two acres of land, bounded eastwardly by the highway that runs to Barn's meadow, southwardly by a highway, westwardly by the swamps, northwardly by common land. This was granted in the year 1745. Recorded per
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 30.—Benjamin Ayers entereth for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear. Entered April 15th, 1748 by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 157. (Abstract.) To all people to whom these presents shall come, Patrick Grant, of Newport, in the county of Newport, in Rhode Island, and Providence plantations in New England, merchant sends greeting:

Know ye that I, the said Patrick Grant, for and in consideration of the sum of fifty pounds current money of the Province of Massachusetts Bay to me in hand, paid by Temperance Grant, of Newport. aforesaid, widow, have granted and sold unto the said Temperance Grant and her heirs forever, all those tracts of land lying in Sheffield, in the county of

Hampshire and province of Massachusetts Bay, which were taken by an execution in favor of Benjamin Stebbins, of Springfield, in the county of Hampshire, aforesaid, Jr.. tanner, against Arent VanDyck, of Kinderhook, in the county of Albany, and province of New York, Esq., viz: all that taken by said execution, be the same more or less, as the same is butted, bounded and described in the return on said execution and the certificate of the appraisers of said land, reference thereto being had. and to the deed of said land, given by the said Benjamin Stebbins, Jr., to Cornelius Jones, of Springfield, aforesaid, tailor, may more fully and at large appear; said return and deed bearing date, the third day of October, 1744, the same being one whole right of land and contains in the whole four hundred acres divided and undivided as the the same is recorded and bounded on Sheffield town records, which premises the said Cornelius Jones hath sold to me, the said Patrick Grant, and my heirs forever, by a deed in writing dated Feb. 7th, 1744, reference thereto being had, &c. 'To have and to hold the same forever and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 16th day of August, 1748. First saving and excepting any right of redemption which the said Arent VanDyck hath or may have, of the same, by the laws of Massachusetts Bay.

PATR. GRANT, [L. s.]

In presence of

M. Robinson,

Hezekiah Usher.

Acknowledged August 26th, 1748, before

EDWARD SCOTT, Justice.

NEWPORT, August 16th, 1748.

Received the sum of fifty pounds, of Temperance Grant, in

full, of the consideration money mentioned in the afore written deed.

PATR. GRANT.

Witnesses

M. Robinson,

Hezekiah Usher.

Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E. page 0.—John Talmage Jr., brought a cat's skin to me, killed November 25, 1748, for pay to go to Eleazar Miller per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 30.—Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., entereth for his son Nathaniel, an ear mark, a crop on each ear and a half penny under the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the left. Entered December 16th, 1748 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Nathaniel Talmage entereth for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in it, and a half penny on the upper side of each ear, by

Giles Gardiner entereth for his ear mark an L on the under side of the right ear and a slope on the under side of the left, and an half penny on the upper side of the same. Entered by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Dayton entereth for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a half penny on the upper side of each. Entered by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E page 100.—We, Nathaniel Baker, Jeremiah Mul-

ford and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., who were appointed to lay out a division of land and swamp in 1748, by the Trustees of East-Hampton, and besides laying and staking out the lots as they are numbered, from No. 1 to No. 47. We have allowed a passing road through the sixth lot for John Dimond and Daniel Osborn to pass to and from their meadow at North-west, and also a passing road across the lots by the south end of Burnet Miller's, North West neck lot and a passing road by John Mulford's addition from Sag Harbor path to John Talmage's meadow, and also a passing highway through the lot that lyeth against John Mulford' or Ezeziel Jones' north-west meadow for them to pass and repass to and from their meadow, where it was most convenient for them. Then we laid out, or allowed a passing highway on the north side of the Napeague pines to run to the harbor mouth, and a passing highway through the pines on the south end of the lots, through all the lots from No. 33 to No. 44, and so to run through to the mouth of Napeague Harbor; and we allow that those who draw the Napeague lots numbered 33, 34 and so on to 47, shall have all the land eastward of the lots and eastward of a south line that runs from the east end of the pond to the harbor and so to stretch eastward to the mouth of the harbor to be equally divided among those fifteen lots at lots at Napeague, excepting those lands or meadows formerly laid out and not to hinder passing to their meadow, or to the harbor where it shall be most convenient, and also allow all those persons that have meadow within their lands to spread their hay on the beaches out of the tide's way, where the meadow owners shall think most convenient. As witness our hands this twenty-ninth day of December, 1748.

NATHANIEL BAKER,

NATHANIEL DOMINY, Jr.

JEREMIAH MULFORD,

Book E, page 104.—A draft and number of the lots at Northwest and Napeague, drawn December 30th, 1748.

A true copy by me,

NATHANIEL DOMINY.

William Hedges.....	30	William Osborn	23
Samuel Parsons.....	17	David Conklin.....	16
Nathaniel Huntting and son	43	John Hedges.....	22
Joseph Osborn.....	7	Elisha Osborn.....	32
Seth Parsons.....	1	Mr. Nathl. Huntting	45
Timothy Mulford.....	44	Jacob Schellinx.....	33
Nathan Dayton.....	8	Matthias Hopping	21
Eleazer Miller.....	47	Stephen Hedges.....	6
Isaac Mulford.....	26	John Mulford.....	31
Isaac Barns.....	34	John Parsons, 4th.....	3
Eliphilet Stretton.....	42	Burnet Miller.....	29
Thomas Mulford.....	46	Jeremiah Miller.....	15
John Stratton.....	4	Capt. Nathl. Baker.....	13
Judge Chatfield	2	Capt. Conklin's Executors.	39
Josiah Miller.....	19	Jeremiah Dayton.....	36
Thomas Talmage.....	24	Elias Mulford.....	28
William Hedges.....	41	Daniel Miller	11
Ichabod Leek.....	20	Capt. Mulford.....	14
Jeremiah Conklin.....	18	Major Gardiner.....	38
Mr. Gardiner.....	37	Gideon Hedges.....	35
Burnet Miller.....	25	Daniel Osborn	40
Nathaniel Dominy.....	27	Sineus Conklin.....	5
Daniel Dayton.....	10	Samuel Hedges.....	9
Aaron Fithian.....	12		

Book E, page 27 $\frac{1}{2}$.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton, April 4th, 1749, it being our election day, according to our patent, was then chosen twelve Trustees, two Constables, two Assessors, &c.

Trustees—Capt. Matthew Mulford, Cornelius Conkling,
 Eleazer Miller, Samuel Parsons, Jr.
 John Huntting, Jeremiah Conkling,
 John Parsons the 4th, John Parsons the 3d,
 Jonathan Baker, Daniel Baker,
 Stephen Hedges, Jeremiah Osborn.

Beriah Dayton, Abraham Mulford, were chosen Constables.
 Capt. Nathaniel Baker and Capt. Matthew Mulford were
 chosen Assessors.

Simon Conkling was chosen Collector. Gives 20s, 6d.

Henry Hudson, William Conkling and Thomas Osborne
 were chosen Overseers of the Poor.

William Osborn, Abraham Gardiner and Burnet Miller
 were chosen surveyors of highways.

Daniel Osborn and Nathan Dayton were chosen fence
 viewers.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen Supervisor.

Jonathan Baker, Daniel Baker, Samuel Mulford and John
 Mulford were chosen pounders for Napeague.

Henry Dayton and John Parsons the 3d were chosen hog
 pounders.

Adjourned our meeting to the first Tuesday in April next,
 in the year 1750, at one o'clock, afternoon.

Per BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 102.—June 6th, 1749. The Trustees being
 legally met by adjournment, at the town house in East-
 Hampton, it was then agreed on by major vote that upon
 consideration of Nathaniel Dominy's allowing and consenting
 that the Commissioners should lay out a five pole highway
 through his lands nigh William Conkling's, that he the said
 Nathaniel Dominy shall have and hold to him and to his heirs

and assigns forever, viz: that slanting highway that the commissioners shut up that ran through from the Fireplace road or highway to the Harbor highway, it joined to the sixth lot and also that gore of land lying south of Daniel Edwards' Lily hill close, bounded southeast by a five pole highway to Accabonac, and north by Daniel Edwards' close. Also a small gore of land adjoining to the southeast corner of the said Nathaniel Dominy's Lily hill close, as it is now staked out by Capt. Matthew Mulford. It was voted by the Trustees and allowed as abovesaid, and on the day abovesaid. As witness my hand

MATTHEW MULFORD, Clerk of the Trustees.

Book E, page 101.—This may certify that we the Commissioners for the surveying and laying out highways in Easthampton, being legally chosen in and for the year 1749, thinking it necessary that there should be a highway along by William Conkling's through the land which was lately granted to Nathaniel Dominy, and also through a part of the 11th lot that the said Nathaniel Dominy bought of Thomas Talmage. We therefore agreed with the said Nathaniel Dominy upon consideration that the Trustees should make him satisfaction in other lands as they voted they would do, and the said Nathaniel Dominy consented that we might lay out a five pole highway through the two pieces of land above mentioned, the said highway joining to Seth Parsons' ditch and William Conklin's ditch, and so straight to the Fireplace highway, as it is staked out by us the Commissioners, and in part of payment for the same we allow the said Nathaniel Dominy to have and to hold and stop that slanting highway that runs on the south side of the sixth lot to the harbor path or highway, to him the said Nathaniel Dominy and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In witness whereof we do hereunto set our hands this twenty-second day of June, 1749.

WILLIAM OSBORN,
BURNET MILLER,
ABRAHAM GARDINER,
Commissioners.

Book E, last leaf.—December 18th, 1749. Taken up by Daniel Dayton a brown yearling steer, with a star in the forehead, marked with a crop on the left ear and the right ear mangled and the dulap cut downward. Entered by me,
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 30.—Joathan Osborne entereth for his ear mark a nick under the right ear. Entered December 21st, 1749, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, loose leaf.—January 24th, 1749-50. Taken up by John Hunting a black sheep marked with a hollow crop on each ear and a half penny the upper or fore side of each ear
Recorded per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 30.—John Hunting entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the right, and a slit in the left ear. Entered January 24th, 1749-50, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 28.—At a town meeting held in Easthampton, April 3d, 1750, it being our election day according to our patents, were then chosen twelve Trustees, two constables, two Assessors, &c.

Trustees—Capt. Nathaniel Baker, Thomas Mulford,
 Maj. Abraham Gardiner, Daniel Osborn,
 Jeremiah Miller, Nathan Dayton,
 Gideon Hedges, Lion Gardiner,
 Josiah Miller, David Conkling,
 Henry Conkling, Eliphelet Stratton.

Beriah Dayton and Thomas Osborn, Jr. were chosen constables.

Capt. Matthew Mulford and Capt. Nathaniel Baker were chosen Assessors, for which service they are to have five shillings each allowed them in the county rate.

Nataniel Dominy, Jr. was chosen Collector, for which he gives 22s in the town rate.

John Mulford and Samuel Parsons, Jr., were chosen overseers of the poor, and Samuel Mulford likewise.

David Conkling, Jeremiah Conkling and Elias Hand were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

John Hunting and William Osborn were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that Napeague meadow owners shall have liberty to fence Napeague beach by running a fence across by Barnes, and across by Amagansett burying place, and at the Fresh Pond near the brickkilns, and that it shall be lawful to impound all horse kind and neat cattle that shall be found grazing on said beach or within said fence from the first of May to the first of September, the owner or owners of such neat cattle or horse kind so impounded shall pay one shilling per beast or horse.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that the Trustees should repair the meeting house as they think fit or convenient.

Also agreed on by major vote that all sheep found grazing

in the commons within the township of East Hampton without the shepherd provided by the Trustees of said town, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep impounded paying one penny for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock only excepted, they keeping them at Wainscott.

Adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April, next, in the year 1751, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

Entered per BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, last page.—December 9th, 1750. Taken up by Burnet Miller a red yharling steer marked with a crop on the right ear and an L under the same, and a slope under the left ear, and a short slit in the same. Recorded per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

December 6th. Taken up by John Parsons the 4th, a red yearling heifer, marked with a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jan. 4th, 1750-51, then taken up by Capt. Matthew Mulford, a brown bay yearling mare, generally paces, is something gentle, cannot yet find either mark or brand.

Recorded per BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 28½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 2d, A. D., 1751, it being our election day according to our patent, being met as by adjournment, were then chosen twelve trustees, constables and assessors, &c.

Burnet Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Eleazer Miller, Esq., Samuel Parsons, Jr.

Cornelius Conkling,	John Parsons the 4th,
Jeremiah Conkling,	William Osborn,
Burnet Miller,	John Mulford,
John Dayton,	Thomas Osborn, Jr.,
Jonathan Baker,	Jacob Schellinx.

Beriah Dayton and Thomas Mulford, Jr., were chosen constables.

William Hedges, Jr. and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., were chosen assessors.

Ezekiel Mulford was chosen collector for which he gives 22—4 in the town rate.

Maj. Abraham Gardiner, Ezekiel Hedges and Sineus Conkling were chosen overseers of the poor.

James Hand, Daniel Dayton and Jeremiah Dayton were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Nathan Dayton and Daniel Edwards were chosen fence viewers.

Adjourned our Town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, in the year 1752, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

Entered per BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 30.—William Huntting, son of Capt. Nathaniel Huntting, enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and a slit in the right ear. Entered April 4th, 1751, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 30.—John Lester enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the right ear, Entered June 17th, 1751, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 31.—John Mulford enters for his son Josiah Mulford as slope under the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered June 17, 1751, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 116.—November 7th, 1751. Jeremiah Talmage brought a wild cat's skin to me, killed a short time before, and I burnt the ears. Per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 118.—January 2d, 1751-2. Taken up about 3 weeks ago by Master Abraham Gardiner, dark bay yearling mare, branded on the thigh with I know not what. Recorded per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 28½.—At a Town meeting held in East-hampton April 7th, A. D., 1752, it being our election day, according to our patent, being met as by adjournment, were then chosen twelve Trustees, Constables, Assessors, &c.

Burnet Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Maj. A. Gardiner,	Capt. Nathl. Baker,
Nathan Dayton,	Capt. Nathl. Huntting,
David Fithian,	David Mulford,
John Parsons, Jr.,	Jeremiah Osborn,
Daniel Osborn,	Joseph Osborn,
William Hedges, Jr.	Thomas Mulford.

Daniel Conkling and Thomas Mulford, Jr. were chosen constables.

Cornelius Conkling and John Huntting were chosen Assessors.

Samuel Mulford was chosen collector, for which he gives 25-8 in the town rate. This is paid.

Daniel Dayton, John Dayton and Daniel Baker were chosen overseers of the poor.

John Parsons the 3d, Jonathan Baker and Elias Hand were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Samuel Parsons, Jr. and Jeremiah Conkling were chosen fence viewers.

Nathl. Baker, Esq. and Maj. Abraham Gardiner were chosen in order to prosecute all persons that shall trespass against the town or proprietors of Montauk, they to prosecute according to the Trustees' order.

Adjourned our Town meeting to the first Tuesday in April, next, in the year 1753, at one o'clock, afternoon. Entered per
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 31 —Ezekiel Hedges entereth for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and one half penny on each side of the same. Entered April 10th, 1752, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Mr. Samuel Buck entereth for his ear mark a slit in the left ear and one half penny on each side of the same. Entered April 23d, 1752, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Thomas Dibble, Jr., entereth for his son Christopher's ear mark a crop on each ear and one half penny under the left ear and one nick under the right. Entered April 24th 1752, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jacob Conklin, son of William Conklin, entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of the same ear. Entered May 26th, 1752, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Daniel Edwards entereth for his son David's ear mark.

Edward Mulford entereth for his ear mark one half penny on each side of each ear, which mark he bought of Adam Cady. Entered December 7th, 1752, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

By information from Abraham Hedges that he hath bought the following ear mark of Gideon Hedges, I enter the said ear mar to the said Abraham Hedges, viz: one slit in the right ear and one half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered Feb. 27th, A. D., 1753, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Joseph Rogers entereth for his son, Joseph Rogers, Jr., ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear and a half penny under the left and a slit in the left. Entered March 15th, A. D., 1753, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 29.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton, Apr. 3d, 1723, it being our election day, according to our pattend, being met as by adjournment, were then chosen twelve Trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Eleazer Miller,	John Mulford,
Isaac Barnes, Jr.,	Barnet Miller,
David Conkling,	John Parsons, the 4th.
Jeremiah Conkling,	Cornelius Conkling,
Samuel Parsons,	David Edwards,
Elisha Mulford,	Eliphelet Stratton.

Daniel Edwards and Henry Dayton were chosen constables
Abraham Gardiner and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., were chosen assessors.

Nathan Conkling was chosen collector, for which office he gives £2-0-2 in the town rate.

Capt. Matthew Mulford and Nathan Dayton were chosen overseers of the poor.

Capt. Nathaniel Baker, Joseph Osborn and Samuel Mulford were chosen surveyors of highways.

Book E, page 29.—Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Osborn and Thomas Osborn were chosen fence viewers.

Adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in Apr. next, in the year 1754, at 1 o'clock afternoon. Entered by
BURNET MILLEB, Town Clerk.

Book of ear marks, page 31.—John Parsons the 4th, entereth for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and an L on the under side of the left ear, which mark the said Parsons says he bought of Joseph Hicks. Entered May 19th, A. D., 1753, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 134½. [Abstract.] Know all men by these presents, that I, John Talmage, of the town of East Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of three shillings and eight pence paid by John Parsons, of the same place, have granted and sold to the said Parsons all my right in the forty-sixth lot laid out in the four acre division, which is 38½ pole of land lying at or near Hog creek, to have and to hold, to him and his heirs forever.

This recorded by order of said John Talmage, this 21st day of June, 1453, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Terry, of Oyster pond, entereth for his ear mark an L. on the fore or upper side of each ear. Entered Nov. 26th, A. D., 1753, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, 194½.—Whereas Eliphelt Stratton, of East Hampton, deceased, in his last will and testament gave all his real

estate (when his debts were all adjusted) to his four sons, namely, Jeremiah Stratton, David Stratton, Samuel Stratton and Abraham Stratton, to be equally divided amongst them, and Samuel departed this life before any division was made of the premises, and the said Samuel said he would have his part go as his father had ordered that to them, amongst them all equally, &c. Now, therefore, to proceed in said division according to the will, we all agree as follows :

Article 1. Jeremiah Stratton to have his house and lot at Scuttlehole. where he now lives, containing 20 acres and $\frac{1}{4}$ and all one peice of meadow at Little Northwest, and all the lot at Grassy Hollow 10 acre division, one third of my father's right at Montauk, $\frac{1}{3}$ of all this commonage in East Hampton and Southampton.

Article 2. David Stratton to have his father's house and lot, the meadow at Northwest, between them and John Hedges not divided, one third of all my father's right at Montauk, one piece of land at the cove hollow, all one piece of land near the lot of Thomas Filer, all one piece of land laid out in the four acre division, $\frac{1}{3}$ of one lot laid out in five acre division at Buckskill, $\frac{1}{2}$ of all the commonage in East-Hampton and Southampton, one piece of land at Hook pond gut, one small piece at Napeague, in last division.

Article 3. Abraham Stratton to have the Hook pond close and piece in the west plain, one third of father's right at Montauk $\frac{2}{3}$ of one lot at Buckskill laid out in five acre divisions, one piece of meadow on the east side of little Northwest neck and twelve acres of land out of the lot at Scuttlehole, part of the lot Jeremiah now lives on, next to Fithian Halsey, $\frac{1}{3}$ of all the commonage in East Hampton and Southampton, &c. These may certify whom it may concern, that we, the subscribers, have mutually agreed to the division as above-said. After the division was made Abraham made the first choice and chose as abovesaid, with the advice of his mother

as guardian, as witness our hands this 4th day of Jan. A. D., 1754.

JEREMIAH STRATTON,
DAVID STRATTON,
ABRAHAM STRATTON.

Witness, Matthew Mulford,
Burnet Miller.

The above written is a true record of an agreement between Jeremiah Stratton, David Stratton and Abraham Stratton, being compared with the original and recorded by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 37.—Recompence Sherrill, Jr. enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a nick under the right ear. Entered January 7th, A. D., 1754, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 32.—Abraham Mulford enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same, and a slope under the left ear. Entered January 18th, A. D., 1754, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Stratton enters for his ear mark the mark that was his father's, viz: a crop on the left ear and an L the upper side of the right ear. Entered by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 142½. (Abstract.) To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I, Jonathan Havens, of Shelter Island, &c., Esq., for and in consideration of the sum of sixty-seven pounds in hand already received of Annanias Cooper, of Southampton, &c., yeoman, have granted

and sold unto said Cooper and to his heirs forever, one-eighth part of one whole share throughout Montauk in fee simple, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant to defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 12th day of March, 1754.

JONATHAN HAVENS. [L.S.]

In presence of

Isaiah Reeve,

Nicoll Havens.

Acknowledged March 26th, 1755, before

BURNET MILLER, Justice.

Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 29.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton, April 2d, A. D., 1754, it being our election day according to our patent, being met as by adjournment, were then chosen twelve Trustees, two Constables, Assessors, &c.

Trustees—Maj. Abra. Gardiner,	Thomas Mulford,
• Capt. Nathl. Baker,	David Mulford,
Nathan Dayton,	Samuel Mulford,
John Chatfield, Esq.,	Sineus Conkling,
Stephen Hedges,	John Dayton,
Joseph Osborn,	Henry Dayton.

Samuel Parsons and Stephen Hedges, Jr., were chosen constables.

Burnet Miller and Isaac Barns, Esq. were chosen assessors.

John Parsons the 4th and Jeremiah Mulford were chosen overseers of the poor.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

John Mulford, Esq., was chosen collector, for which office he gives £2-0-2 in the town rate, and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates.

Jonathan Baker, John Huntting and James Hand, Jr. surveyors of the highways.

Thomas Dibble and Daniel Edwards were chosen fence viewers.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that Napeague meadow owners shall have liberty to fence Napeague beach by running a fence across the lane by Barnes' beach, and across the lane by Amagansett burying place and across at the fresh pond near the brick-kilns, they making a sufficient fence to keep sheep from getting through said fence to the eastward, and that it shall be lawful to impound all horse kind and neat cattle that shall be found grazing on said beach or within said fence from the 12th day of May to the 12th day of September, the owner or owners of such neat cattle or horse kind so impounded shall pay one shilling per beast and horse, this vote to stand good until revoked or altered by another vote.

Adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, in the year A. D. 1755, at one o'clock in the afternoon.
Recorded per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 32.—Ezekiel Hedges enters for his son Ezekiel's ear mark a crop on the left ear and one half penny on each side of the same, and a slope on the under side of the right ear. Entered May 9th, 1754, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 31.—Jonathan Stratton enters a slope on the under side of the right ear, for his ear mark, May 10th, 1754, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 134 $\frac{1}{2}$. [Abstract.] Know all men by these presents, that I, Daniel Osborn, of the town of Southold, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of seven pounds, to me in hand, paid by Daniel Osborn, of the town of East Hampton, &c., yeoman, have granted and sold' all my right and title in three lots of land laid out in the three acre division, viz: the 39th, 75th and 64th lots, which were laid out in the winter and drawn in March following, in the year 1747, as may appear by the town record, lying in East Hampton, to him and to his heirs forever, in fee simple and will warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 23d day of May, 1754.

DANIEL OSBORN.

Recorded on the day and year above written.

BURNFT MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 161.—Whereas there are several of us, namely, Nathaniel Huntting, John Huntting, Samuel Huntting, Isaac Mulford Huntting, Edward Huntting, Jonathan Huntting and Matthew Huntting, all of East Hampton, in the county of Suffolk and province of New York, who are become tenants in fee of several tracts of land that lie in the bounds of East Hampton, aforesaid, by virtue of the last will and testament of the Rev. Mr. Nathaniel Huntting, late of East Hampton, deceased, which said lands lie in several pieces and some very small, and at present undivided, so that it is thought very inconvenient that the said lands should lie any longer undivided, or that each particular person should have a part in each particular piece, and whereas Edward Huntting is under age, I, Isaac Mulford, do presume and undertake to act for him, as also the two sons of Jonathan Huntting, deceased, being under age, namely, Jonathan and Matthew

Hunting. I, John Darby, do presume to act for them, &c. Now we, viz: Nathaniel Hunting, John Hunting, Samuel Hunting, Isaac Mulford Hunting and John Darby, do all of us agree to have the abovesaid land divided; and do also agree to leave it to three men, namely, Capt. Nathaniel Baker, Esq., William Osborn and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., to survey, apprise, stake out and appoint to each particular person their just proportion in value of the said lands, according to the best of their judgement, as they think fit, according to the tenor of the said will, and according to their right, and to determine to us where each one of our parts shall be in which piece or pieces, and what quantity of land each one of us shall have. Which said division we all and every one of us do promise and engage to confirm or give security for the confirmation of the same, and also to pay the charge of the said division, as witness our hands and seals this 9th day of May, in the 27th year of the reign of King George the 2d, 1754.

NATHANIEL HUNTTING, [L. s.]

JOHN HUNTTING, [L. s.]

SAMUEL HUNTTING, [L. s.]

ISAAC MULFORD HUNTTING [L. s.]

ISSAC MULFORD, [L. s.]

JOHN DARBE.

In presence of

Matthew Mulford,

Elisha Mulford.

The above written is a true copy of the original obligation or agreement extracted therefrom and compared therewith per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Entered Nov. 8th, 1770.

Page 162.—We whose names are mentioned in the obligation or agreement in the foregoing page, viz: Nathaniel

Baker, Esq., William Osborn and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., agreeable to the foregoing agreement, proceeded on the division and divided the same, according to the best of our knowledge and judgement equally in value, in proportion to each of their right as given to them in the will of the Rev. Mr. Nathaniel Hunting, deceased, and by deed beginning with the lot of No. 30 in the five acre division, beginning with No. 1 on the south side of said lot, increasing to No. 5.

By a fair lot Samuel Hunting fell on the south side.

	acre	qr.	pole
Samuel Hunting drew No. 1	4	0	20
Isaac Mulford Hunting and Edward Hunting No. 2	6	1	15
John Hunting drew No. 3	11	2	30
Capt. Nathl. Hunting, No. 4	20	0	00
Jonathan and Matthew Hunting, No. 5	28	1	00

Capt. Nathl. Hunting's part in the remainder of the aforesaid lands, and all other legatees as they follow :

In the bank lot, 15£, 10s, 0d, which is 13 acres, 1 qr., 20 poles of land east side.

In Cobler's hill lot 30£, 1s, 3d, which is 32a, 2r, 00p, east side.

No. 34 in creek lot and 25 addition, 14£, 11s, 0d, which is 26a, 0r, 0p, northwest side.

By Joshua hole lot £6, 12s, 0d, which is 12a, 0r, 0p, the whole.

In the addition by creeks 2£, 0s, 0d, which is 4a, 0r, 0p, the whole.

68£, 14s, 3d. The $\frac{1}{2}$ considered is a poor side of a lot.

2d. Isaac and Edward Hunting on the back of Daniel Osborn's lot in the 5 acre division and addition.

14£, 16s, 0d, which is 16 acres, 0 qr., 0 pole, the whole.
No. 24 in 4 acre division, Sag Harbor lot.

12£, 11s, 5d, which is 25 acres, 0 gr., 24 pole, northwest side. No. 94 in the 3 acre division.

3£, 18s, 0d, which is 13 acres, 0 gr., 0 pole, all. An addition to 35th. lot in 3 acre division by R. Scoys.

1£, 13s, 0d, which is 3 acres, 0 gr., 0 pole, all

32£, 18s, 5d.

3 to John Huntting.

In the bank lot 15£, 10s, 0d, which is 19 acres, 1 gr., 20 poles of land next to Capt. eastward.

Half of Cobler's hill lot No. 38, 30£, 1s, 3d, which is 32 acres, 2r , 0p on the west side.

No. 7, in the 3 acre division, 8£, 9s, 0d, which is 13 acres, 0r, 0p, by Philips, the whole.

No. 45 in the pine division at Napeague, 0£, 15s, 0d, the whole 54£, 15s, 0d.

4th. Samuel Huntting, in the bank lot, 36£, 0s, 0d, which is 45 acres, 0 gr. 0 p. of land. 131st lot in the 3 acre division 6£, 10s, 0d, which is 10 a., 0 r., 0 p. The whole £42, 10s, 0d.

Note that Samuel Huntting drew but ten acres in the ten acre division by will by reason Mr. Huntting the donor sold one lot in his lifetime before the will took place, so that by deed he drew 20 acres, by will 10 acres, and fifteen acres were allowed to him in that lot to make him his proportion in the other division.

N. B. That Samuel Huntting, beside what has before been specified, holds what was drawn by 1 acre, 2 gr. 25½ poles of commonage, with Jeremiah Mulford in the five acre division in a lot at the two holes of water, and what he drew in the 3 lot division to his two acres of commonage, it being placed to him and drawn, one acre with Thomas Talmage, the other acre with David Fithian, as may be seen on the Town Records.

5th. Jonathan and Matthew Huntting, in the bank lot,

45£, 7s, 3d, which is 56 acres, 1 qr., 0 p. of land on the west side.

In the 4 acre division, in the lot No. 24, and 62 acres, $22\frac{2}{3}$ poles, with Jeremiah Mulford in No. 25, 16£, 14s, $10\frac{1}{2}$ d, which is 33 acres, 1 r., $38\frac{2}{3}$ p., southeast side.

Half Creek lot, No. 34, 14£, 6s, 0d, which is 30 acres, 0 r., 0 p., on southeast side.

By Amagansett, No. 19, in 3 acre division, 16£, 5s, 0d, which is 13 acres, 0 r., 0 p., the whole.

Lot No. 35 by Little Worth, 3£, 0s, 0d, which is 10 acres, 0 r., 0 p., the whole.

30th addition, by Springy Banks, 1£, 12s, 6d, which is 6 acres, 2 r., 0 p., all.

By Chatfield's hole, in No. 43, with Eliphelet Stratton, 0£, 17s, 6d, which is 2 acres, 0 r., 32 p., all.

In Pine division, lot No. 43, 0£, 15s, 0d, which is all—98£, 18s, $1\frac{1}{2}$ d.

The foregoing division of land in the two foregoing pages made by Nathaniel Baker, Esq. William Osborn and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., at the time it was done, was entered on a sheet of paper soon after Mr. Hunting's death, and in the year 1770, in Nov. it was reviewed by the aforesaid Nathaniel Dominy, Col. Abraham Gardiner and others, and judged to be right, and they added one or two more clauses to make it plainer. The clauses added were, "note that Samuel Hunting drew but 10 acres &c.," and "N. B., that Samuel Hunting, beside what has been specified, holds what was drawn, &c."

The foregoing division of lands were recorded by Burnet Miller, Town Clerk, Nov. 8th, 1770.

Page 32.—Ephraim Burnet enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny on the left ear. Entered June 11th, 1754, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

James Loper enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the left ear and a slit in the same. Entered June the 28th, A. D. 1754, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Israel Halsey, of Bridge-Hampton, enter for his ear mark a hollow erop on the left ear and a slope on the upper side of the right ear. Entered Dec. 20th, 1754, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Dayton, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a hole in the left ear. Entered Feb. 10th, 1755 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Daniel Conklin enters for his ear mark a slope on the under side of each ear. Entered April 1st. A. D., 1755, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 29½—At a town meeting, held in East-Hampton Apr. 1st A. D., 1755, it being our election day according to our pattent, being met as by adjournment, were then chosen twelve trustees, two constables assessors, &c.

Burnet Miller was chosen town Clerk.

Trustees.—Eleazer Miller, Esq.	John Mulford, Esq.
Cornelius Conkling,	John Parsons the 4th.
Jeremiah Conkling,	Capt. Nathaniel Huntting,
Daniel Osborn,	Burnet Miller,
Stephen Hedges, Jr.	Samuel Parsons,
Henry Conkling,	Capt. Isaac Barns.

Henry Dayton and Nathan Dayton Jr. were chosen constables.

Capt. Nathaniel Baker and David Mulford were chosen assessors.

Joseph Osborn and Timothy Mulford were chosen overseers of the poor.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Mulford Huntting was chosen collector; for which office he gives £2-4-6, to be paid in the town rate, and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates.

Stephen Hedges and John Chatfield Esq. and Jeremiah Osborn were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Nathaniel Dominy and William Barns were chosen fence viewers.

Adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, in the year 1756, at 1 o'clock afternoon. Entered pr.

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 30.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton. Apr. 6th, 1756, it being our town meeting or election day, allowed us by our pattend, being met as by adjournment were then chosen twelve trustees, two constables, assessors &c.

Trustees.—Col. Abraham Gardiner,	Capt. Nathaniel Baker,
Capt. Matthew Mulford,	John Chatfield, Esq.
Daniel Dayton, Jr.	Jeremiah Osborn,
Ezekiel Mulford,	Stephen Hedges,
Recompence Sherril	Jeremiah Miller,
Thomas Talmage, Jr.	John Huntting.

Elisha Conkling, Jr. and Samuel Conkling were chosen constables.

William Hedges, Jr., and Nathan Dayton were chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Conkling and Samuel Parsons were chosen overseers of the poor.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Nathan Conkling was chosen collector, for which office he gives £2-10-6 to be paid in the town rate and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates.

David Mulford, John Mulford, Esq. and Nathaniel Dominy, Jr., were chosen surveyors of the highways.

David Edwards and Thomas were chosen fence viewers.

And adjourned our town meeting or election day to the first Tuesday in April next, at 1 o'clock afternoon, which will be in the year 1757. Entered by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 32.—Jeremiah Hand enters for his ear mark a hole in the left ear. Entered June 25th, 1756, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Edwards, Jr., son of John Edwards, enters for his ear mark an L on the upper side of the right ear and a half penny on each side of the left ear. Entered Dec. 27th, 1756, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Timothy Miller, Jr., son of Timothy Miller, enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a half penny under the right ear and a nick under the left ear. Entered March 26th, 1757 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

At a town meeting held in East-Hampton Apr. 5th, 1757, it being our town meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met as by adjournment, were then chosen twelve trustees, two constables, assessors &c.

Burnet Miller was chosen town clerk.

Trustees.—Eleazer Miller, Esq. John Mulford, Esq.

Cornelius Conkling,	Capt. Nathaniel Huntting
Burnet Miller,	David Mulford,
John Parsons, the 4th.	Jeremiah Conkling,
John Dayton,	Capt. Isaac Barns,
Jeremiah Dayton,	Josiah Hedges.

Jesse Dayton and David Stratton were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Baker, Esq., and Lion Gardiner were chosen assessors.

Capt. Matthew Mulford and John Chatfield were chosen overseers of the poor.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Mulford Huntting was chosen collector, for which office he gives £2-11-0 to be paid in the town rate; and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound, as other rates. William Hedges, Jr., Col. Abraham Gardiner and Nathan Dayton were chosen surveyors of the highways.

John Parsons, Jr., and William Barns were chosen fence viewers.

John Parsons, the 4th, Jeremiah Conkling and Samuel Mulford were chosen pounders for the town commons and beaches.

And adjourned our town meeting or election day to the first Tuesday in April next at 1 o'clock afternoon, which will be in the year 1758. Entered by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Pierson, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear and a slit in the same and an L under the right ear. Entered Apr. 16th, 1757, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, last page.—Dec. 19th, 1757, taken up about three weeks ago a pale red, two year old heifer with white feet behind, marked with a crop on each ear and a half penny

on the upper side of the left, and a half penny on the under side of the right ear, by Nathaniel Dominy, Jr. Recorded by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Dec. 19th, 1757, taken up by Nathaniel Dominy, the 7th day of December aforesaid, a black two year old steer with white hind feet and white on the rump, marked with a crop on the left ear and a half penny on the upper side, with a half penny under the right and a slit in it and a small crop on the same—possibly it was frozen. Recorded per
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 54½. (Abstract.) To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I David Stratton, of East Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of fifty-seven pounds, seven shillings and eight pence, to me in hand paid by Jeremiah Osborn, of same place, yeoman, have granted and sold unto the said Jeremiah Osborn and his heirs forever, part of Montauk, estimate three pounds, nine shillings, one penny and two-thirds of a penny, through the whole land of Montauk, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the third day of February, 1758.

DAVID STRATTON. [L.s.]

In presence of

Timothy Mulford,

Timothy Mulford, Jr.

Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 102. [Abstract.] To all people to whom

these presents shall come, greeting: Know ye that I, Noah Barns, of the town of East-Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of twenty pounds current money, of New-York, to me in hand, paid by Salmon Treat Richeson, of Stonington, in the county of New London and Colony of Connecticut, yeoman, have granted and sold unto the said Salmon Treat Richeson and his heirs forever, one piece of land containing twenty aeres more or less, lying in the township of East-Hampton, at a place called Elwife Brook Neck, bounded northwardly, by the bay or sound, eastwardly part by the land of Thomas Talmage, and part by the land of Seth Parsons, deceased, southwardly by a highway, and westwardly by the land of John Parsons, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant to defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the first day of April, 1758.

NOAH BARNES, [L. s.]

In presence of

William Hedges, the 3d
Burnet Miller.

A true copy. Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 30½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, Apr. 4th, 1758, it being our town meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met as by adjournment, were then chosen twelve trustees, two constables, assessors &c :

Trustees—Capt. Nathaniel Baker,	Col. Abraham Gardiner.
Lion Gardiner,	John Chatfield, Esq.
John Huntting,	Samuel Parssons,
Capt. Matthew Mulford,	Nathan Dayton,
Capt. Elisha Jones,	Henry Dayton,

Henry Conkling, Samuel Mulford.

Jesse Dayton and Mulford Conkling were chosen constables
John Parssons, the 4th, and Capt. David Mulford were
chosen assessors.

Thomas Talmage, Jr., and Jeremiah Osborn were chosen
overseers of the poor.

Recompence Sherril, Joseph Osborn and David Edwards
were chosen surveyors of highways.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Mulford Huntting was chosen collector, for which
office he gives £4-1-3 to be paid in the town rate. And to
gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other
rates, Thomas Dibble and William Barns were chosen fence
viewers.

John Parssons the 4th, Jeremiah Conkling and Samuel
Mulford were chosen pounders for the town commons and
beaches ; but any proprietor that is grieved, may pound, not-
withstanding there are pounders chosen.

On the day abovesaid it was voted and agreed on to have
a five rail fence at the fatting field at Montauk, by the prop-
rietors

And adjourned the town meeting to the first Tuesday in
April next, which will be in the year 1759, A. D.

Book E, page 11S.—October and November 1758, taken
up by Henry Dayton a red, white-back steer calf, marked
with a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Record-
ed pr

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 55½.—At a town meeting held in East-
Hampton, April 5th, 1759, A. D., it being our town meeting
or election day allowed us by our patent, being met as by

adjournment, were chosen on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables assessors &c.

Trustees—Eleazer Miller, Esq.	Cornelius Conkling,
John Parsons, the 4th	Jeremiah Conkling,
Burnet Miller,	John Mulford, Esq.
Capt. David Mulford,	Joseph Osborn
Isaac Barns, Esq.	David Fithian,
Thomas Talmage, Jr.,	Jeremiah Miller, Jr.

Ezekiel Mulford and Isaac Mulford Huntting were chosen constables.

Stephen Hedges, Jr., and Nathaniel Dominy Jr., were chosen assessors.

David Edwards and Abraham Mulford were chosen overseers of the poor.

Nathan Daytou, John Chatfield, Esq., and Jeremiah Osborn were chosen surveyors of Highways.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Mulford Huntting was chosen collector, for which office he gives £4-15-0 to be paid in the town rate, and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates

John Parssons Jr., and John Parssons the 3d were chosen fence viewers.

Having finished the business of the day we do adjourn our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, which will be in the year 1760.

Page 33.—David Hedges enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in it, and a slope on the under side of the right ear. Entered May the 18th, 1759, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 33.—Abraham Schellenger enters for his ear mark a half penny on upper side of the left ear and a hole in the right ear. Entered May 29th, A. D., 1759, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Joseph Hicks enters for his ear mark an L under the left ear and a half penny on the upper side of the same and a hole in the right ear. Entered May 29th, 1759, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Isaac VanScoy enters for his ear mark a crop on the right and an L on the upper side of the same and an half penny on the upper side of the left ear. June 7th, 1759, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

William Barnes enters for his son William's ear mark a crop on the right ear and an L on the upper side of the same ear. Entered December 7th, A. D., 1759, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 55½.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton April 1st, A. D., 1760, it being our town meeting or election day, allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, was chosen on the day abovesaid twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Capt. Nathl. Baker,	Col. Abra. Gardiner,
Lion Gardiner,	John Chatfield, Esq ,
Henry Dayton,	Nathan Dayton,
Jeremiah Osborn,	Capt. Nathl. Huntting,
Jeremiah Miller,	David Edwards,
Samuel Parsons,	Noah Barns.

Nathl. Huntting, Jr. and Josiah Hedges were chosen constables.

Cornelius Conkling and Burnet Miller were chosen assessors.

Recompence Sherrill and Daniel Dayton, Jr. were chosen overseers of the poor.

John Mulford, Esq., Capt. David Mulford and David Fithian was chosen surveyors of the highways.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Mulford Huntting was chosen collector, for which office he gives £8-7-6 to be paid in the town rate and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates

Thomas Dibble and Uriah Miller were chosen fence viewers.

Having finished the business of the day, we do adjourn our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, which will be in the year 1761.

Book A, page 139½. (Abstract.) To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I Burnet Miller, of East Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred and fifty pounds to me in hand paid by John Russel, of Bridge Hampton, &c, yeoman, have granted unto the said Russel and his heirs forever, one piece of meadow containing eight acres more or less, lying in Little Northwest neck bounded northwardly by the meadow of Elisha Mulford, eastward by a passing highway, southward by the meadow of Thomas Mulford, westward by the creek; and one piece of woodland containing one hundred and ninety acres more or less, lying in little Northwest neck, bounded northward by the land of Thomas Mulford, eastward and westward by passing highways, southward by several lots laid out in the swamp division, to have and to hold the same forever, and warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this sixth day of February, 1760.

BURNET MILLER. [L.s.]

In presence of

Elezer Miller,

William Hedges the 3d.

Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 73.—Whereas Burnet Miller hath three lengths of fence against my father Thomas Mulford's home lot on account of commonage, I Elisha Mulford, for and in consideration of three shillings paid to me before the signing hereof by the aforesaid Burnet Miller, I do promise to maintain the said three lengths of fence forever. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this twenty-seventh day of March, A. D., 1760.

ELISHA MULFORD.

Marks, page 33.—Matthew Stratton enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny on the under side of the same, and a slope under the left ear. Entered May 1st, A. D., 1760, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Thomas Cooper, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of the same ear and a slope under the left ear. Entered Dec. 17th, 1760, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 118.—Dec. 17th, 1760, taken up by Burnet Miller a red yearling heifer marked with a hollow crop on the right ear and a half under the same, and an L under the left, or near as I can tell, the mark something mangled. Recorded pr

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 33.—John Dayton, Jr., enters for his son John's ear mark a crop on the left ear and a hole in the right ear. Entered Dec. 22d, A. D., 1760 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Edwards enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny on each side of the same ear and a half penny under the right ear. Entered Jan. 9th, 1761, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Abraham Edwards enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny on each side of the same ear. Entered Jan. 9th, A. D., 1761, by
Per BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Richard Edwards enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny on each side of the same ear and a slit in the right ear. Jan. 9th, A. D. 1761, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Stephen Hedges enters for his son Lewis' ear mark a half penny on each side of the left ear and a slope under the right ear. Feb. 25th, A. D. 1761, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 56.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April 7th, A. D, 1761, it being our town meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors &c.

Trustees—Eleazer Miller, Esq.	Cornelius Conkling,
John Parsons, the 4th,	Jeremiah Conkling,
Burnet Miller,	John Mulford, Esq.
Isaac Barns, Esq.	Nathan Dayton, Jr.
Jeremiah Dayton,	David Fithian,
Josiah Hedges,	David Mulford.

John Davis, Jr., and David Osborn were chosen constables.
Nathaniel Bakur, Esq. and Capt. Matthew Mulford were chosen assessors.

John Parssons the 2d and John Parsons the 3d were chosen overseers of the poor.

Samuel Parsons, John Dayton and Uriah Miller were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Capt. Isaac Barns was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Multord Hunting was chosen collector, for which office he gives £9-11-0 to be paid in the town rate and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates.

Daniel Conkling and Joseph Osborn were chosen fence viewers.

Having finished the business of the day and adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1762.

Book E, page 118.—Dec. 8th, 1761, taken up by Johu Mulford, Esq., a red steer, two years old past, marked with a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same, and a half penny the upper side of the right ear. Reecorded by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 34.—Matthew Stratton enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and an L the under side of each ear. Entered January 11th, A. D. 1762, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 87. [Abstract.] Know all men by these presents that I, Thomas Chatfield, of East-Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of five hundred pounds to me in hand, paid by Jeremiah Osborn, of said place, have granted and sold unto the said Osborn and his heirs forever, my dwelling-house and home lot situated in the town of East-Hampton, containing eighteen acres more or less, bounded east by the town street, south by the home lot of the said Jeremiah Osborn and partly by the highway,

north by the home lot of Thomas Talmage and west by the highway, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant and defend. Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the sixteen day of January, 1762,

THOMAS CHATFIELD. [L. s.]

In presence of

Nathaniel Dominy, Jr.

John Chatfield.

Acknowledged same day before

JOHN CHATFIELD, Justice.

At the executing of the within deed of sale Thomas Chatfield did give unto Jeremiah Osborn delivery and seizing of the premises, by delivering unto him one turf and twig as a part of the whole, according to the tenor of the within deed.

In presence of

John Chatfield,

Nathaniel Baker,

Nathaniel Dominy, Jr.,

Timothy Mulford.

January 10th, 1762, personally appeared before me John Chatfield, one of the witnesses to the executing of the within instrument, who, being duly sworn, did declare that he was present and saw the delivery of the aforesaid instrument for the uses therein set forth, and did sign the same as witness at the same time.

HUGH GELTSON,

Judge of Court of Common Pleas.

Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 34.—Stephen Osborn enters for his ear mark

a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same, and a nick on the upper side of the left ear. Entered Feb. 24th, A. D. 1762, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

William Barns enters for his son Elias' ear mark an L on the under side of the right ear and a crop or half crop on the same ear. Entered Feb. 26th, 1762 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Joseph Osborn Jr. enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the same, and a slope on the under side of the right ear, which mark he says he bought of David Hedges. Entered March 30th, 1762 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 56.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 6th, A. D. 1762, it being our town meeting or election day allowed us by our pattend, being met by adjournment, was chosen on the day abovesaid twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Capt. Nathaniel Baker,	Col. A. Gardiner,
Jeremiah Osborn,	Lion Gardiner,
Jeremiah Miller,	Nathan Dayton,
Samuel Parsons,	Will Barns,
Joseph Osborn,	Capt. Elias Hand,
Daniel Leek,	Stephen Hedges.

Jeremiah Miller, Jr. and Joseph Hicks were chosen constables.

Noah Barns and Exekiel Mulford were chosen assessors.

Capt. David Mulford and Timothy Mulford were chosen overseers of the poor.

John Dayton, Uriah Miller and Samuel Parsons were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

Capt. Isaac Barns was chosen collector, for which office he gives £9-0-0 to be paid in the town rate and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates.

David Edwards and Henry Dayton were chosen fence viewers.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourn to the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1763.

Marks, page 34.—Daniel Leek and Daniel Hand came to my house and said that Daniel Leek had bought of said Hand the mark that was his grandfather's, Stephen Hand, viz: a crop on the left ear and an L under the same ear. Entered for the said Daniel Leek April 6th, 1762 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Daniel Hand enters for his ear mark an L under the left ear and an L on the upper side of the right ear. Entered April 6th, 1762 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Joseph Edwards enters for his ear mark an L under the left ear and a hole in the right ear. Entered April 24th, 1762 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

By information from Capt. Matthew Mulford, Sineus Conklin hath purchased the following ear mark of him, the said Mulford and the said Sineus Conklin enters said mark for his son Sineus, viz: an L under the right ear and a nick under the left ear. Entered Dec. 3d, A. D. 1762 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Sineus Conklin enters for his son Isaac's ear mark an L under the right ear and a crop on the same ear. Entered Dec. 3d, 1762 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

James Hand enters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear and a hole in the right ear. Entered Feb. 24th 1763, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, 11S.—Taken up about the 20th of Dec. 1762, by Ezekiel Jones, a black, roan yearling mare, branded with T. C. on the left shoulder. Recorded by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 39.—James Hand enters for his brand mark H on the left thigh for horses and on the horns for neat cattle and sheep. Entered Feb. 24th, 1763 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 56½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April 5th, 1763, it being our town meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, were chosen on the day abovesaid twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Eleazer Miller, Esq.,	Cornelius Conkling,
Jeremiah Conkling,	Isaac Barns, Esq.
Burnet Miller,	John Mulford Esq.
David Mulford,	Nathaniel Huntting jr.
Henry Conkling,	John Parsons the 4th
Jeremiah Miller, Jr.,	David Stratton.

Nathan Dayton Jr. and David Fithian were chosen constables.

Cornelius Conkling, Col. Abraham Gardiner, Burnet Miller and John Parssons the 4th were chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn and Daniel Conkling were chosen overseers of the poor.

Nathan Dayton, William Barns and Josiah Hedges were chosen surveyors of the highway.

Robert Parssons and Samuel Parssons were chosen fence viewers.

Cornelius Conkling was chosen supervisor.

John Dayton, Jr., was chosen collector, for which office he gives £9.1-0 to be paid in the town rate and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1764.

Marks 39. Jeremiah Miller, the fourth, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny under it, and a slit in the same ear. Entored April 25th, 1763 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Hedges enters for his son Stephen Hedges, of Bridge Hampton, his ear mark a crop on the right ear and an L under the same and a slope under the left ear and a half penny on the upper side of the same. Entered April 28th, 1763 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Hedges, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his son David Hedges, his ear mark a crop on the right ear and an L under the same, and a slope under the left ear. Entered April 28th, 1763 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 116.—Taken up by Noah Barns, a black sheep with an L under the left ear and an L over the right ear and a crop on the same ear. Entered Jan. 16th 1764 pr

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 3d, 1764, it being our town meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, were chosen on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors &c.

Trustees—Nathaniel Baker, Esq.	Col. A. Gardiner,
John Chatfield, Esq.	Jeremiah Miller,
Jeremiah Osborn,	Recompence Sherril,
Samuel Parssons,	Nathan Dayton,
Stephen Hedges,	David Fithian,
Josiah Hedges,	Elisha Conkling, Jr.

Recompence Sherril Jr., and Jonathan Schellinx were chosen constables.

Burnet Miller, John Parsons the 4th, Col. Abraham Gardiner and Capt. David Mulford were chosen assessors.

David Stratton and John Gardiner were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Miller Jr., Ezekiel Mulford and Jeremiah Conkling were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Isaac Mulford Huntting and Uriah Miller were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

Matthew Stratton was chosen collector, for which office he gives £9-1-1 to be paid in the town rate, and to gather the town rate for the same on the pound as other rates.

Agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that if any person or persons, whatsoever, shall pull down any paper or advertisement off of the public sign post they shall be liable to pay five shillings for each paper so pulled down. One half of the fine to go to the informer and the other half to the support of the poor of the town, and the Town Clerk to pull down all papers every Saturday night.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April 1765 pr

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 35.—Jacob Hand enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and an L under the right ear. Dec. 2d, 1764 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Gardiner enters for his ear mark an L under the left ear and a nick under the right ear. Dec. 3d 1764 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Matthew Osborn enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a hole in the same and a half penny under the right ear. Dec. 4th, A. D. 1764 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Henry Pierson, Jr. enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and an L under the right ear. Dec. 26th, A. D. 1764 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jason Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same and an L under the right ear. March 23d 1765 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 57.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 2d, A. D. 1765, it being our town meeting or annual election day allowed us by our patent being met by adjournment, were chosen on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors &c.

Trustees—Burnet Miller,	Samuel Mulford,
Capt. David Mulford,	John Gardiner,
Henry Conkling,	Eleazer Miller, Esq.
William Barns,	John Parssons, the 4th.
Jeremiah Miller, Jr.	Henry Dayton,

Ezekiel Mulford, Capt. Isaac Barns.

Joseph Hicks and William Huntting were chosen constables.

William Hedges, Jr. and Joseph Osborn were chosen assessors.

Abraham Mulford and Daniel Dayton were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jonathan Schellinx, Thomas Mulford and David Fithian were chosen surveyors of highways.

John Huntting and Recompence Sherril were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

John Dayton, Jr. was chosen collector, for which office he gives £2-11-0 to be paid in the town rate.

Also agreed, on by major vote, on the day abovesaid that if any person or persons, whatsoever, shall pull down any paper off of the public sign post they shall be liable to pay five shillings for each paper so pulled down, the one half of the fine to go to the informer, the other half to the support of the poor of the town ; and if any person that puts up any paper on said sign post on the Sabbath will and may be pulled down by the Town Clerk, and all papers to be pulled down every Saturday night by the Town Clerk.

Having finished the business of the day, we adjourn our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, in the year A. D. 1766.

Gurdon Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and two half pennies under the left ear. April 10th, A. D., 1765 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Miller the 3d, enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear, and two half pennies under the right ear. April 10, A. D., 1765, by

BURNET MILLER Town Clerk.

Huntting Miller enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of the right ear and a slit in the same. April 10th 1765 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Annania Miller enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of the left ear and a slit in the same. April 30th, A. D. 1765 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Capt. A. Gardiner enters for his son Nathaniel's ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the right ear and a slit in the same ear. June 22d 1765 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Thomas Osborn, Jr. enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same, and a half penny on the upper side the left ear. Dec. 27th, A. D. 1765 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 116.—Taken up by Uriah Miller, a black, two year old horse, with a large star in the forehead, no brand to be seen, though it looks something likely that there is one on the right shoulder. Entered Jan. 16th, 1766 per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Elnathan Parsons, son of John Parsons, enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the same, and a slope under the right ear. February 17th, A. D. 1766 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 36.—Benjamin Stratton enters for his ear mark a slope under the right ear. Feb. 17th, A. D. 1766 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Widow Elizabeth Osborn enters for her ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the right and a nick under the same. Entered March 6th, 1766, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Thomas Davis enters for his ear mark a slope under each ear. Entered March 10th, 1766, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Abraham Mulford, Jr. enters for his ear mark an L on the upper side of the left ear, and a half penny under the right ear, and a slit in the same. Entered 1766, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Enos Davis enters for his ear mark an L under the right ear and two slits in the left ear. Entered March 13th, 1766, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 57½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 4th, A. D. 1766, it being our town meeting or annual election day, allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Nathaniel Baker, Esq.,	Col. A. Gardiner,
Stephen Hedges,	Daniel Dayton,
John Chatfield, Esq.,	David Stratton,
David Fithian,	Nathan Dayton,
Samuel Parsons,	Jeremiah Dayton,
Jeremiah Miller,	Joseph Osborn.

Joseph Hicks and William Hedges the 3d, were chosen constables.

Capt. Isaac Barns and Capt. David Mulford were chosen assessors.

Thomas Mulford and Henry Dayton were chosen overseers of the poor.

Samuel Mulford, Recompense Sherril and Jeremiah Osborn were chosen surveyors of the highways.

John Parsons the 4th and Ezekiel Mulford were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

Nathan Conkling was chosen collector, for which office he gives the sum of £3-6-6 to be paid in the town rate.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourn our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, in the year 1767.

Marks 56.—Barnabas Mulford enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear, and a half penny under the same, and a slit in the right ear and a nick under the same. Entered April 5th, 1766, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Hand enters for his brand, S. H. on the left shoulder. April 7th, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Conklin, the 4th, enters for his ear mark an L under the left ear and the L crop and a slit in the right ear. Entered April 10th, 1766, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Dr. Theophilus Howell enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slope under the left ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered June 18th, 1766, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 159. [Abstract.] To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I, Elias Hand, of the town of East-Hampton, &c., yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of forty-two pounds to me in hand, paid by Jeremiah Osborn, of the same place, tanner, have granted and sold unto the said Osborn and his heirs forever, all my right at Montauk, it being three pounds estimate, as it now stands, at forty pounds a whole share, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof, I, the said Elias Hand, have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 28th day of June, 1766.

ELIAS HAND. [L. s.]

In presence of

David Baker,

Nathaniel Baker, 3d.

Entered and compared by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 36.—John Parsons enters for his son Stephen's ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same and a slope under right. Entered Dec. 22d, A. D, 1766, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Dr. Samuel Hutchinson enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the same, and an L over the left ear. Entered Jan. 21st, 1767, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 37.—Amos Larkin enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of each ear. Entered Jan. 28th, 1767, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 57½.—At a town meeting held in East-

Hampton, April 7th, A. D. 1767, it being our town meeting or annual election day, allowed us by our patten, being met by adjournment, were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Capt. David Mulford, Burnet Miller,
 Eleazer Miller, Esq., Capt. Nathaniel Huntting,
 Jeremiah Miller, Jr., John Davis,
 Timothy Mulford. Jeremiah Osborn,
 Capt. Isaac Barns, Henry Conkling,
 Thomas Mulford, Eneas Talmage.

Nathan Conkling, Jr., and Joseph Hicks were chosen constables.

Nathan Dayton and Daniel Dayton were chosen assessors.

Elisha Mulford and William Barns were chosen overseers of the poor.

Stephen Hedges, John Parsons, the 4th, and Henry Dayton were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Samuel Parsons and David Fithian were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

Nathan Conkling was chosen collector, for which office he gives the sum of £3-6-7 to be paid in the town rate.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April. in the year A. D. 1768, per.

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 37.—William Conklin enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the same and a half penny under the right ear. Entered April 29th, A. D., 1767, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Capt. Thomas Wickham enters for his ear mark a slit in

the end of the right ear, which he said he had of his brother Edward Huntting. Entered June 26th, 1767, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Matthew Barnes enters for his ear mark an L on the upper side of the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered Dec. 20th, A. D., 1767 by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 37.—Henry Chatfield enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and two half pennies on the upper side of the right. Entered Dec. 21st, 1767, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Lemuel Pierson, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear and an L under the right, which his father used to give. Entered Jan. 14th, A. D. 1768, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Miller enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the same. Entered March 11th, 1768, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 58.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 5th, 1768, it being our annual town meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, were chosen on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Henry Dayton,
John Chatfield, Esq.
Nathan Dayton,

Col. A. Gardiner,
David Baker,
Stephen Hedges,

Recompence Sherril,	David Fithian,
Samuel Parsons,	Samuel Mulford,
Samuel Conkling,	Zebedee Osborn.

Edward Conkling and Benjamin Stratton were chosen constables.

Jeremiah Miller, Jr., and John Davis were chosen assessors
Joseph Osborn and John Parsons the fourth, were chosen overseers of the poor.

David Stratton, Thomas Mulford and Sineus Conkling were chosen surveyors of the highways.

David Edwards and William Barns were chosen fence viewers.

Col. A. Gardiner was chosen supervisor.

Samuel Mulford was chosen collector.

Having finished the business of the day we do adjourn our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April, at one o'clock, afternoon, in the year 1769, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 37.—Capt. David Baker enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a nick under the same, and a half penny under the right. Entered June 2d 1768, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Capt. David Baker enters for his son David's ear mark a half penny under the right ear and a nick on the upper side of the left ear. Entered June 2d, 1768, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Miller, the 3d, enters for his ear mark a half penny on the underside of the left ear and a nick under the right ear. Entered June 4th, 1768, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 39.—Thomas Edwards, Jr. son of Thomas Edwards, enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear and a nick under the left ear, Entered July 25, 1768 by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Edwards enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear and a half penny on each side of the left ear. Entered Jan. 16th, 1769, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 39.—Thomas Chatfield enters for his ear mark.

Noah Barnes enters for his son Abraham's ear mark an L over the right ear and a crop on the same ear and an L under the left ear. Entered Jan. 16th, 1769, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Elisha Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a half penny under the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. March 3d, 1769, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 58½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 4th, A. D., 1769, it being our annual town meeting or election day, allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Burnet Miller,	Isaac Barns, Esq.
Capt. David Mulford,	Elisha Conkling, Jr.,
John Parsons, the 4th,	John Davis,
Uriah Miller,	Jeremiah Miller,
Henry Conkling,	Jeremiah Miller, Jr.,
Timothy Mulford,	Ezekiel Mulford.

Thomas Osborn and Stephen Edwards were chosen constables.

Henry Dayton and David Baker were chosen assessors.

Aaron Isaacs and David Fithian were chosen overseers of the poor.

Samuel Parsons, John Dayton Jr., Samuel Mulford and Daniel Leek were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Nathan Dayton and William Barns were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

John Gardiner was chosen collector.

Having finished the business of the day we do adjourn our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April, at one o'clock, afternoon, in the year 1770, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 38.—Aaron Isaacs enters for his ear mark two slits in the end of the right ear. April 28th, 1769, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Baker enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear and a nick under the left ear. East-Hampton, June 1st, 1769, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Baker enters for his son Thomas Baker a half penny under the left ear and two half pennies under the right
Entered June 1st. 1769, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 167. I, Jonathan Hunting, of Hanover, in the county of Morris and province New Jersey, do hereby appoint Samuel Hunting, Esq., of Southampton, my attorney in all causes moved, or to be moved for me or against me in any courts of judicature, in my name to appear, plead and

pursue to final judgement and execution, and also to alien, convey and confirm all or any of my land or lands lying and being within the township of East-Hampton; and good, ample and sufficient deed or deeds, to make, seal and deliver, as fully and completely as I, myself, might or could do were I personally present and legally active.

Witness my hand

JONATHAN HUNTTING.

Samuel Huntting, Jr.

Benjamin Huntting.

Southampton, July 5th, 1769.

This day Jonathan Huntting appeared before me and acknowledged the above to be his free act and deed.

HUGH GELSTON, Judge.

The above written is a true copy of the original power of attorney extracted therefrom, and compared therewith, and entered July 9th, 1771, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Baker enters for his son Abraham's ear mark a half penny under the right ear and an L under the left ear, and the end of the same ear cropped off of the L. Entered August 25th, 1769, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

East-Hampton, Sept. 7th, 1769.

Book A, page 172½.—At the request, Timothy Miller (to us) John Chatfield and Isaac Barnes, two of his majesties, Justices of the Peace for the county of Suffolk, in pursuance of the act of Assembly, issued warrant to the constable to summon twelve principal freeholders to view the land of John Parsons, and accordingly met on the land: Col. Abraham Gardiner, William Hedges, Thomas Mulford, Nathan

Dayton, Ezekiel Mulford, Jeremiah Miller, Jeremiah Miller, Jr., Capt. David Mulford, David Baker, Nathaniel Huntting, Elisha Conkling and Nathan Conkling. And the commissioners of the highways having first staked out a way through the land of said Parsons, fifteen feet wide from the highway, to the land of said Miller. The Jury being sworn to value the land and damages, do judge the land and damage to be eight pounds, to be paid by the said Miller to the said John Parsons. Attest

ABRAHAM GARDINER, Foreman of the jury.

The above written is a true copy extracted from the original award and compared therewith, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 38.—David Russel enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of each ear, and two half pennies under the left ear, Entered Sept. 21, 1769, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 165. [Abstract.] To all people to whom these presents shall come. Know ye that whereas Trade and Commerce are in general, a benefit to mankind, and in particular to the inhabitants of this town, we, the subscribers, trustees for the proprietors of the town of East-Hampton, &c. have, and by these presents do, upon the petition and special request of John Foster, William Jones, Nathan Fordham, Jr., James Foster, David Corwithie, David Gelston, John Sandford, Jonah Sandford, Silas Howel, Joseph Jacobs, Obediah Jones, Uriah Rogers, William Smith, Zebulon Cooper, John Hulbart, Robert Hudson, Levi Howel, Henry Howel, Daniel

Fordham, Ephraim Howel, Edward Topping, Samuel Lehommedeu, Thomas Foster, John Russel, Elias Pelletreau, George Mackey, James Haines Jr., William Hallock, Joseph Marshall, Matthew Jagger, of Southampton, and Abraham Gardiner, Stephen Hedges, Abraham Miller, Burnet Miller, Jeremiah Hedges, John Davis, Thomas Wickham, William Hedges and Isaac Barns, of East-Hampton, and William Nicoll, of said county, desiring the liberty to build a wharf at the place called and known by the name of Sagg Harbor, for the more convenient carrying on of trade and navigation, do fully, freely and absolutely give, grant convey, and unto the above named John Foster, William Jones &c., and to their heirs and assigns forever, full and free liberty to build and maintain a wharf at Sag-Harbor, thirty-five feet wide, beginning at Southampton east patent line where Southampton grant for said wharf ends, and to run northeasterly thirty rods, and to have sixty feet of water on each side of the wharf, on these condition only, that said wharf be completely built and finished at, or before the end of three years from the date hereof, and that all persons shall have liberty to pass and repass on said wharf, with their carts or other carriages, they not unnecessarily or obstructing the abovesaid grantees in the free and sole use and benefit of said wharf, always provided said wharf be kept under the following regulations, (Viz.) that for this present year the committee Burnet Miller, Thomas Sandford, Nathan Fordham, Jr., and Silas Howel shall have the sole ordering thereof, and the proctors of said wharf, annually to choose a committee of the most suitable persons of said proprietary grantees, to manage the whole affair of said wharf, and that the fare, custom or wharfage of said wharf shall be according to the custom of other places, and said wharf to contain forty rights, reckoned at twenty pounds a right. and no person to be allowed as a voter, but what is entitled to a whole share, and that the profit

arising from said wharf shall be divided to each proprietor according to their right, annually or once a year by the person that takes the fare, excepting what is wanting to repair said wharf. To have and to hold all the above granted premises, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging under the above conditions and restrictions as above expressed. In witness and confirmation whereof, we, the subscribers, in the name and behalf of the proprietors of the town of East-Hampton, and as Trustees have hereunto set our hands and fixed our seals this 12th day of February 1770.

DAVID MULFORD.	[L.S.]
JEREMIAH MILLER.	[L.S.]
ELISHA CONKLING.	[L.S.]
EZEKIEL MULFORD.	[L.S.]
HENRY CONKLING.	[L.S.]
JEREMIAH MILLER, Jr.	[L.S.]
TIMOTHY MULFORD.	[L.S.]
JOHN PARSONS the 4th.	[L.S.]

In presence of

David Baker,

Edward Conkling.

Entered and compared March 2d 1771, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 53½.—March 1770.

The commissioners for laying highways, laid out a passing highway from the road or highway that leads from the head of Duck Creek to the head of Hog Creek, turning out and beginning at a hollow near or a little to the westward of the middle of the northwest end of John Mulford's lot, straight down from said hollow to the Flaggy hole. Said highway to be two poles wide, through the land of John Parsons, for which highway the said John Parsons hath received in hand

the sum of four pounds current money of New-York ; the same to remain a passing highway for ever, as reported by

SAMUEL PARSONS,

SAMUEL MULFORD,

Commissioners.

Entered March 26th, 1770, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 53½. March 23. Whereas there was a highway allowed Timothy Miller through the land of John Parsons, about which place it should be in, they disagreed ; we the Commissioners, viz: Samuel Parsons and John Dayton, Jr., have laid out a passing highway across the land of John Parsons, beginning forty poles from the head of John Parsons, beginning forty poles from the head of Hog creek southwest, then to turn northwesterly to the land of said Timothy Miller the same to remain a passing highway for the said Timothy Miller, his heirs and assigns forever as reported, per

SAMUEL PARSONS,

JOHN DAYTON, JR.,

Commissioners.

Entered March 26th, 1770, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 187½. Whereas the Trustees sold Hand's creek, or the mouth of the harbor beach, to the following persons, and reserved the following privileges, (that is to say, they the abovesaid persons, namely, Samuel Parsons, Nathaniel Baker, Robert Parsons, John Parsons the 3d, and John Miller, their heirs and assigns forever hereafter, allowing all people to pass and repass, to fish, fowl and hunt, and to go to their meadows and to do any business they shall have occa-

sion to do on said beach as they used to do before this conveyance) this passage taken out of said deed and compared therewith by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

East Hampton, March, 1770.

Vera copie.

Whereas the Trustees sold the Fireplace beach to Benjamin Leek and Reserved the following privileges, viz: that the abovesaid Benjamin Leek, his heirs and assigns forever, hereafter allowing all persons to pass and repass, to fish, fowl and hunt, and to go to their meadows, and to do any business they shall have occasion to do on said beach as they used to do before this conveyance) as may appear by said deed of conveyance.

Entered March, 1770, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 58.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton April 3d, A. D., 1770, it being our annual Town Meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, were chosen on the day abovesaid twelve Trustees, two Constables, Assessors, &c.

Trustees—Col. A. Gardiner,	John Chatfield, Esq.
Nathan Dayton,	Henry Dayton,
Samuel Parsons,	Stephen Hedges,
David Fithen,	Nathaniel Baker, Jr.
Samuel Mulford,	Jeremiah Osborn,
Thomas Osborn,	Capt. David Baker.

Daniel Conkling and Jeremiah Miller the 4th were chosen constables.

John Gardiner and Nathaniel Huntting, Jr. were chosen assessors.

Elisha Davis and Nathan Conklin, Jr. were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Gardiner, Enos Talmage, Isaac Mulford Hunting and Henry Conkling were chosen surveyors of highways.

Ezekiel Mulford and Capt. David Mulford were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

William Hunting was chosen collector.

Agreed on by major vote to move the pound and sheep yard to the north end of the town.

Marks, 58.—Uriah Miller enters for his son Joel a crop on the right and a half penny on the upper side of the same, and a half penny under the left ear. Entered April 3d, 1770 by

BURNET MILLEB, Town Clerk.

Marks, 39.—Jeremiah Hedges enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of each ear. Entered June 21st, 1770, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Stephen Cooper enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear and a half penny under the same. Entered July 24th, 1770, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Stephen Cooper, Jr., enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear and a half penny under each ear. Entered July 24, 1770, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Cornelius Osborne enters for his ear mark a slit in each ear and a half penny under the right ear. Entered July 31, 1770, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Miller enters for his ear mark two half pennies under the left ear. Entered December, 1770, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 169. (Abstract.) Know all men by these presents that I, Joshua Rogers, of the town of Southampton, &c, yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of ninety-four pounds, eleven shillings, to me in hand paid by Thomas Cooper, of the same place, yeoman, have sold unto the said Thomas Cooper and his heirs forever, three-sixteenths of one whole share and two shillings and eleven pence and two-thirds of a penny estimate, as it now stands, estimated at forty pounds for one whole share, the aforesaid right running throughout the whole land of Montauk, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant to defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the fourth day of January, 1771.

JOSHUA ROGERS. [L s.]

In presence of

Joshua Budd,

Zacheriah Rogers.

Entered and compared Feb 15th, 1773, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 40.—Joseph Hicks enters for his son Zechariah's ear mark an L under the left ear and a half penny on the upper side of the same, and a crop on the right ear and a hole in the same. Entered March 13th, 1771.

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 58½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton April 2d, A. D., 1771, it being our annual town

meeting day, allowed us by our patent, being met, accordingly were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Burnet Miller,	Isaac Barns, Esq.
Capt. David Mulford,	John Davis,
Jeremiah Miller,	Thomas Mulford,
Abraham Mulford,	Will Barns,
Thomas Wickham,	Jacob Osborn,
Elisha Osborn,	Ezekiel Mulford.

Joseph Hicks and Daniel Hedges were chosen constables.

Matthew Stratton and Henry Dayton were chosen assessors

Elisha Mulford and Timothy Mulford were chosen overseers of the poor.

David Fithian, David Baker, Samuel Mulford and Zebedee Osborn were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Recompence Sherril and John Parsons, Jr., were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

Benjamin Stratton was chosen collector.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourned our town meeting to the first day in April, at one o'clock, afternoon, in the year 1772, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 40.—Seth Barnes enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and an L on the upper side of the right ear and a half penny under the same. Entered June 4th, 1771, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 167. (Abstract.) To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that we, Jonathan Huntting and Matthew Huntting, of the township of Hanover and county of Morris, in the province of East Jersey,

doctors, for and in consideration of the sum of one pound, to us in hand, paid by Isaac Barns, Esq., of the town of East-Hampton, &c., have granted and sold unto the said Isaac Barns and his heirs forever, a certain piece of pine land lying in Napeague pines, it being the whole lot No. 43, lying between lots No. 42 and 44, together with the addition laid out to the said lot. To have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the ninth day of July, 1771.

JONATHAN HUNTING. [L.S.]

MATTHEW HUNTING. [L.S.]

In presence of

Edward Lewis, Jr.

Burnet Miller.

Entered and compared on the 9th day of July, 1771, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 40.—Jeremiah Osborn, Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny under each ear and an L on the upper side of the right ear. Entered January 7th, 1772, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Selah Pike enters for his ear mark a slope under each ear which he had of Thomas Davis. Entered April 7th, 1772, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 59.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 7th, 1772, it being our annual town meeting allowed us by our patent, being met, accordingly were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Daniel Hedges,

John Chatfield, Esq.

Col. A. Gardiner,	Nathaniel Huntting,
Stephen Hedges,	Jeremiah Dayton,
David Fithian,	David Baker,
Recompence Sherril, Jr.	Samuel Parsons,
Jeremiah Osborn,	Henry Dayton.

Nathaniel Hand and Joseph Osborn Jr., were chosen constables.

Isaac Mulford Huntting and William Barns were chosen assessors.

William Huntting and Jeremiah Miller were chosen overseers of the poor.

Edward Conkling, Uriah Miller and Thomas Osborn were chosen surveyors of the highways.

John Gardiner and John Dayton Jr., were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

Nathan Conkling was chosen collector.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourned our Town Meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, in the year 1773, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 40.—Aaron Isaacs enters for his ear mark an ell under the left ear and two slits in the right, which he had of John Davis the third, which he entered June 6th, 1772, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

James Hildreth, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and two half pennies on the upper side of left ear. Entered July 4th, 1772, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Nathaniel Barnes enters for his ear mark an L the upper side of the right, and a half penny under the left, it being the

mark given by his father in his life. Entered February 9th, 1773, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Lemuel Pierson enters for his son David Pierson, Jr., a slope under the right ear and a slit in the left ear. Entered March 13th, 1773, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 164½.—The land and swamp that Mr. Isaac Mulford laid out to Joseph Conkling lying near Sag Harbor is bounded southwestly by the old highway and on all other side by the land of said Joseph Conkling and his meadow, it being in lieu of land taken off from his land at the bound line. Entered at East Hampton March 23d, 1773, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 59.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton April 6th, 1773, it being our annual town meeting allowed us by our patent, being met accordingly, was chosen on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Samuel Mulford,	Samuel Conkling,
Eneas Talmage,	Capt. David Mulford,
Isaac M. Huntting,	Joseph Osborn, Jr.
Benjamin Stratton,	Daniel Dayton,
John Dayton, Jr.	Burnet Miller,
Tho. Wickham,	Jeremiah Miller.

Joseph Osborn, Jr. and Nathaniel Hand was chosen constables.

Isaac Mulford Huntting and Henry Dayton were chosen assessors.

Recompence Sherrill, Jr. and Aaron Isaacs were chosen

overseers of the poor.

Edward Conkling, Uriah Miller and Thomas Osborn were chosen surveyors of highways.

Jeremiah Dayton and Samuel Parsons were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Gardiner was chosen collector.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, in the year 1774.

Marks, 41.—Joseph Hicks enters for his son Daniel Bishop Hicks ear mark an L under the left ear and a half penny on upper side of the same and a hollow crop on the right. Entered March 17th, 1774, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 59½.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton April 5th, 1774, it being our annual town meeting or election day allowed us by our patent, being met accordingly, as by adjournment were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Col. A. Gardiner,	John Chatfield, Esq.,
Abraham Miller,	Stephen Hedges,
John Miller, Jr.,	Ezekiel Mulford,
Jeremiah Osborn, Jr.	Seth Barns,
Samuel Parsons,	Capt. David Fithian,
Elisha Osborn,	Nathaniel Baker.

Daniel Conkling and Abraham Mulford Jr. were chosen constables.

William Huntting and Matthew Stratton were chosen assessors.

Capt. David Mulford and Joseph Osborn, Jr. were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jacob Conkling, Recompence Sherrill, Jr. and Daniel Hedges were chosen surveyors of highways.

Jeremiah Miller and Thomas Osborn were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Gardiner was chosen collector.

Having finished the business of the day we adjourned our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, in the year 1775, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 41.—Lewis Osborne enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same, and a slit in the right ear, which he says he bought of Thomas Mulford. Entered April 13th, 1774 by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Peleg Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on the left and a hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny under the same. April 29th, 1774, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Parsons enters for his son Seth's ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slope under the right. May 20th, 1774, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Schellinger enters for his son Jacob's ear mark a half penny on the upper side of the left ear and a nick on the under side of the right ear. Entered February 22d, A. D., 1775, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Schellinger enters for his son Jonathan's ear mark a half penny on the upper side of the right ear and a

nick on the underside of the left ear. Entered Feb. 22d, A. D., 1775, per

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, 59½—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, April 4th, A. D., 1775, it being our annual town meeting day, allowed us by our patent, being met as by adjournment, were chosen, on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Samuel Mulford,	Burnet Miller,
Matthew Barns,	Capt. David Mulford,
Henry Dayton,	Capt. Tho. Wickham,
Abraham Mulford,	Jeremiah Miller,
Jeremiah Gardiner,	Capt. Jeremiah Conkling,
Will. Huntting,	Enos Talmage.

Daniel Conkling and Jeremiah Osborn, Jr. were chosen constables.

Lieut. John Dayton and Jeremiah Osborn were chosen assessors.

Thomas Osborn and Isaac Mulford Huntting was chosen overseers of the poor.

Jedediah Osborn, Lewis Osborn and Henry Dayton were chosen surveyors of highways.

Daniel Hedges, Matthew Stratton and Samuel Parsons were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

William Huntting was chosen collector.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that they would have Col. William Floyd paid for his going to the Continental Congress out of the excise money in the Treasury, that is to say their town's proportion.

Also voted, none contradicting, that the old committee of correspondence should stand and send men to meet the Prov-

incial Congress to choose men to go on the Continental Congress in May next.

And adjourned to the first Tuesday in April next at one o'clock in the afternoon, in the year 1776. Entered per
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 18. (Abstract.) To all christian people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I, Joseph Conkling, of East Hampton, &c., farmer, for divers causes, and more especially for the good will I bear unto my loving son Edward Conkling, of the same place, mariner, do voluntarily and of my own free will give to my said son Edward Conkling, a certain tract of land lying in East Hampton near Sag Harbor, containing about twelve acres more or less, bounded northerly by the highway, southerly by Nathan Fordham, Esq., southwesterly by the highway that parts the two towns, and Joseph Ellis' land. I freely give the same forever to my said son Edward and his heirs, and do warrant the same.

In witneqs whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 21st day of June, 1775.

JOSEPH CONKLING. [L.S.]

In presence of

Silvanus Conkling,

Joseph Gibbs.

Entered and compared by

JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 41.—John Parsous the fifth enters for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the right ear and a crop on the left ear, and a nick under the left. Entered July 7, 1775, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Nathan Hand enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear and a slope on the upper side of the left. Entered February 28th, A. D., 1776, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Sherrill enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a slit in each ear. Entered March 25th, 1776, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Matthew Barnes enters for his son Isaac's ear mark a half penny over the left ear and an L over the right ear and a nick under the same. Entered April 1st, 1776, by

BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 60.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton April 2d, 1776, it being our annual town meeting day allowed us by our patent, being met by adjournment, were chosen on the day abovesaid, twelve trustees, two constables, assessors, &c.

Trustees—Col. A. Gardiner,	John Chatfield, Esq.
Jeremiah Osborn,	Capt. David Fithian,
Elisha Mulford,	John Gardiner, Esq.
Abraham Miller,	Stephen Hedges,
Samuel Baker,	Stephen Stratton,
Samuel Parsons,	Nathaniel Baker.

The committee men, Burnet Miller, John Chatfield, Esq., John Gardiner, Esq., Capt. Thomas Wickham, Col. Abraham Gardiner, Stephen Hedges, Abraham Miller, Samuel Parsons, Henry Dayton.

Jacob Conkling and Thomas Baker were chosen constables.

Isaac Mulford Huntting and Jeremiah Gardiner were chosen assessors.

Abraham Mulford and Henry Dayton were chosen overseers of the poor.

Will. Huntting, Capt. Ezekiel Mulford and Edward Conkling were chosen surveyors of the highways.

Recompence Sherril, Jr., Jonathan Osborn and William Conkling were chosen fence viewers.

Burnet Miller was chosen supervisor.

William Huntting was chosen collector.

And adjourned to the first Tuesday in April next at one o'clock in the afternoon, in the year 1777. Entered per
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 42.—Edward Conklin enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same, and a half penny under the left ear. Entered April 2d, 1776, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Daniel Conklin enters for his ear mark a slope under the right ear and on the upper side of the left ear. Entered April 2d, 1776, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Henry Parson enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of each ear and a half penny under the left, which he says he bought of Jeremiah Hedges. Entered April 3d, 1776, by
BURNET MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Bennett enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a hole in each ear. Entered May 25th, 1776, by
BURNET MILLER Town Clerk.

Book E, page 60½.—At our annual town meeting, held

in East-Hampton, on the first Tuesday in April A. D. 1770, the following persons were chosen town officers.

Trustees—Col. David Mulford, Jeremiah Miller,
 Abraham Mulford, Henry Dayton,
 Ezekiel Mulford, William Huntting,
 Jonathan Gardiner, Benjamin Stratton,
 Matthew Barns, Samuel Conkling,
 Nathan Conkling, Jr. Elisha Conkling,

Henry Dayton and Stephen Hedges overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Osborn, Matthew Stratton and Isaac Conkling commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Gardiner and Isaac M. Huntting assessors.

William Huntting collector.

Thomas Baker and Isaac Conkling constables.

Samuel Parsons and Nathan Conkling Jr., fence viewers.

Nathaniel Dominy supervisor. Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

At our annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on the first Tuesday in April A. D., 1778, the following persons were chosen town officers.

Trustees—Jeremiah Osborn, Seth Barns,
 Daniel Hedges, John Gardiner,
 David Fithian, Samuel Parsons,
 Stephen Hedges, Jonathan Conkling 4th,
 Isaac Conkling, Nathaniel Baker,
 Elisha Osborn, Nathaniel Huntting.

Ezekiel Mulford and William Barns overseers of the poor.

Jonathan Gardiner Jonathan Miller assessors.

Thomas Baker collector.

Isaac Conkling and Thomas Baker constables.

Recompence Sherril, William Huntting and David Baker fence viewers.

Nathaniel Dominy supervisor. Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Christopher Dibble, for his son Lewis, enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered Jan. 6th, 1779, per me

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

At our annual town meeting held in East Hampton on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1779, the following persons were chosen town officers :

Trustees—Henry Dayton,	Ezekiel Mulford,
David Mulford,	William Mulford,
Eleazer Conkling,	Jeremiah Miller,
Jeremiah Gardiner,	William Hunting,
Matthew Barnes,	David Baker,
Enos Talmage,	Thomas Baker.

David Fithian, Seth Barns and Uriah Miller overseers of poor.

Elisha Mulford, Jr., Aaron Mulford, Jr., Nathaniel Hand and Elisha Osborn overseers of highways.

Matthew Osborn and Wm. Hunting assessors.

Ruben Hedges, collector.

Matthew Mulford and Elias Mulford constables.

Henry Dayton and William Barns fence viewers.

Nathaniel Dominy, supervisor.

Entered per JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

John Gavett entered for his ear mark two half pennies on the right ear and an L on the under side of the left. Entered Jan. 6th, 1770, per me.

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 61.—At our annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on the 1st Tuesday in April A. D., 1780, the following persons were chosen town officers.

Trustees—Stephen Hedges, Samuel Parsons,
 Matthew Mulford, Jonathan Osborn,
 Seth Barns, Daniel Hedges,
 Thomas Osborn, Jonathan Conkling, the 4th,
 Jonathan Schellinx, Nathaniel Hand,
 Matthew Stratton, Nathan Dayton.

Jonathan Osborn and Recompence Sherril Jr., overseers of the poor.

Uriah Miller, Jonathan Dayton, William Huntting, Elisha Osborn, Isaac Conkling and David Talmage commissioners of highways.

Ezekiel Mulford supervisor.

John Gardiner and Isaac M. Huntting assessors.

Jeremiah Sheriel collector.

Elisha Mulford and David Mulford constables.

William Barns and Henry Dayton fence viewers.

Jonathan Barns and Elias Mulford Napeague pounders.

Daniel Hedges and Elisha Mulford Jr. town pounders.

Voted that when the broken rites in the fatting field are filled up the money shall be paid when the beast is put in.

Book E, page 61.—Voted that no beast shall be deemed legally entered that is put on Montauk, or in the fatting field without an order from the proprietor of said right, and all such beast or beasts shall be brought to town and the owners of such beast or beasts, shall pay the poundage, not to exceed sixteen shillings, to be determined by the pounders, with two of the trustees. But if the owner of such beast or beasts refuses to pay the ponndage then it shall be lawful after six hours' notice, to sell said beast or beasts at public vendue and all charges paid the overplus to be paid the owner. Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

At our annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1781, the following persons were chosen town officers.

Trustees—David Mulford	Jeremiah Miller,
Ezekiel Mulford	William Huntting,
Elisha Mulford Jr.	Lewis Osborn,
Henry Dayton,	Recompence Sheriel, Jr.
Matthew Barns,	Nathaniel Baker,
Josiah Mulford,	Enos Talmage.

John Dayton, Jeremiah Dayton and Abraham Mulford Jr., overseers of the poor.

Samuel Parsons, Jonathan Scellinx, Joseph Osborne Jr. and Elisha Osborn commissioners of highways.

Isaac Hunting, Matthew Stratton, Elias Mulford and Elisha Osborn assessors.

Jason Miller and Samuel Mulford Jr., constables.

Ezekiel Mulford supervisor.

Jeremiah Miller Jr. and Jeremiah Osborn fence viewers.

Philetus Osborn collector and is to pay £2-4-0.

Napeague pounders, Jonathan Barns, Philetus Osborn, Stephen Cooper, Jr. and Nathan Miller beach pounders.

Voted that no person shall mow the cranberry beds at Napeague, on the penalty of five pounds.

Voted that Napeague be cleared on the 5th day of May.
Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks 42.—Stephen Parsons enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and a half penny underside the same ear. Entered May 2d, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Matthew Stratton for his son John, for his ear mark, an ell under each ear and a crop on the right. Entered May 10th, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Matthew Stratton for his son Samuel, enters for his ear mark an ell under each ear and a crop on each ear. Entered May 10th, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

David Talmage 3d enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear, and two slits in the crop and a slit in the left. Entered May 26th, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

David Talmage enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and two slits in the crop. Entered May 26th, 1791, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

William Talmage enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and two slits in the crop and a nick under the left ear. Entered May 26th, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 43.—John King bought of Christopher Dibble the ear mark entered for his son Lewis Dibble, it being a crop on each ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Entered October 29, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 42.—Nathaniel Hand enters for his son Mulford Hand for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the left ear and a nick under the right. Entered December 14, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Elias Mulford enters for his son Elias, for his ear mark, an ell on the upper side of the left ear and a nick under the right. Entered December 14th, 1781, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 43.—John Gardiner enters for his ear mark bought of Christopher Dibble, a crop on each ear, a half penny under the left, and a nick under the right. Entered January 27th, 1782, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 61½.—At our annual town meeting held in East Hampton on the 1st Tuesday in April, A. D., 1782, the following persons were chosen town officers :

Trustees—Jeremiah Dayton,	Abraham Barns,
Joseph Osborn, Jr.,	Jonh. Miller, Jr.
Samuel Parsons,	Abram Gardiner,
Jonh. Gardiner,	Nathan Conkling 2d,
Zeb. Conkling,	Nathaniel Hand,
David Fithian,	Matthew Mulford.

John Dayton, Wm. Huntting, Nathan Dayton, overseers of the poor.

Sam. Mulford, Henry Dayton, Jonh. Miller, Jed. Osborn, Commissioners of highways.

Matthew Barns, Lewis Osborn and Stephen Hedges, assessors.

Jonh. Mulford, John Gardiner, constables.

Ezekiel Mulford, supervisor.

Nathan Hedges, collector.

Nathaniel Baker, Elisha Mulford, Jr., Reck Sherel, Jr., Elisha Osborn, fence viewers.

Nathaniel Baker, Ed. Conkling, Zeb. Conkling, Jon. Conkling 2d, Napeague pounders.

Thos. Osborn, Elisha Mulford, Jr., beach pounders.

Voted that no person shall mow cranberry beds at Napeague on penalty of five pounds.

No sheep to lie on Commons but be liable to be impounded, the owners to pay 6 per head. Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 43.—Timothy Miller bought of Thomas Dibble an ear mark, a crop on each ear, and a half penny under the left. Entered July 7th, 1782, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks 43.—Jeremiah Bennett Jr. enters for his ear mark one half penny on each side of the right ear and a hole in the left. Entered Feb. 4th, 1783, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Book F, page 61½.—At our annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on the 1st Tuesday in April, A. D. 1783, the following persons were chosen town officers.

Trustees—David Mulford, Jeremiah Miller,
Nathaniel Huntting, Ezekiel Mulford,
Nathaniel Gardiner, John Dayton, Jr.
Samuel Mulford Jr., Daniel Hedges,
Isaac Conkling, William Huntting,
Nathan Miller, Recompence Sherril,

Overseers of the poor William Mulford, Huntting Miller, Jonathan Osborn.

Overseers of highways Matthew Stratton, Joseph Osborn Jr., Jonathan Schellinx Enos Talmage.

Constables, Nathan Dayton, David Dayton.

Fence viewers, David Fithian, Nathan Conkling Jr.

Supervisor, Ezekiel Mulford.

Assessors, Jeremiah Gardiner, Nathan Conkling Jr., Jeremiah Osborn.

Collector, Philetus Osborn, he paying £5-14-2

Napeague pounders, Jonathan Skellinx Nathan Dayton.

Sheep pounders, Eleazer Conkling, Matthew Mulford Jeremiah Mulford.

Voted that the town orders shall stand in force.

Voted that such persons who shall work in repairing the wharf at Sag-Harbor, shall be exempt from mending the highways. Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Benjamin Havens, of Brookhaven, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and an L under the left and dulap cut up and down. Entered April 5th, 1783, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

William Huntting enters for his son Jonathan, for his ear mark an L under the left ear and a slit under the right, bought of Jeremiah Conklin. Entered April 18, 1783, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Book G, 168. October 30th, 1783. Stephen Matthew Stratton sold to Daniel Dayton a tract of swamp land, it being all that was laid out to 5 acres and a half and 16 poles of commonage, for three pounds New-York currency. Attest.

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 62.—In the month of November, 1783, soon after the British troops evacuated New-York and the Americans had taken possession, we received orders to call a town meeting for the purpose of choosing Town Officers, under the State of New-York, which we accordingly did, and chose all those that were chosen the preceeding April. Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 43.—Daniel Hedges enters for his ear mark, which was entered to his brother John Hedges, a slit in the left ear and a half penny on the under side of each ear. Entered January 31, 1784, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 44.—Daniel Hedges enters for his son Daniel, for his ear mark, bought of David Osborne crop on the left ear and a nick on the under side of the same, and a slit in the right ear. Entered January 31, 1784, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

John Miller Jr. entered for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a half penny under side of each ear. Entered January 31, 1784, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 70. 1784.

Henry Dayton granted to the town an open highway, two poles wide across his northwest plain lot of woodland, and in consideration therefore, the trustees of said town did grant unto said Henry Dayton a certain piece of land adjoining the southeast end of Jacob Conkling's Amagansett close, it being about an acre and a half, be it more or less. Entered March 25th, 1784, per

JOHN CHATEIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks 44.—Abraham Pierson, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark, bought of Isaac Mulford Hunting, a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same, and a half penny on the upper side of the right. Entered March 26, 1784, by

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 62.—At our annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on the first Tuesday in April A. D., 1784, the following persons were chosen town officers.

Trustees—Jeremiah Osborn,	Abraham Miller,
John Miller Jr.	Matthew Mulford,
Jeremiah Miller Jr.	Joseph Osborn Jr.,

Abraham Gardiner,	Elisha Mulford Jr.,
Nathan Dayton,	Zebulon Conkling,
Matthew Barns,	Samuel Parsons.

Jeremiah Miller Jr. and Matthew Mulford were chosen constables.

Joseph Osborn Jr., Matthew Stratton, Jonathan Schellinger and Elisha Osborn were chosen commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Osborn, Stephen Hedges, David Mulford, Matthew Barnes and Elisha Osborne were chosen assessors.

William Huntting, Daniel Hedges and Stephen Hedges overseers of the poor.

Philetus Osborn, collector, to collect for five pence per pound.

Capt. Ezekiel Mulford supervisor.

Jeremiah Miller, Daniel Hedges, Nathaniel Huntting and Isaac VanScoy were chosen fence viewers.

Jeremiah Mulford and Matthew Mulford, Huntting Miller and David Hedges town pounders. (Miller and Hedges crossed in original.)

Jonathan Schellinger and Nathan Dayton Napeague pounders.

Abraham Grrdiner and Elisha Mulford Jr., beach pounders.

Jeremiah Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

On the day abovesaid it was voted that all children not inhabitants of East Hampton, but sent here from other towns for the purpose of schooling, shall pay school house rent at the rate of six shillings per year each child, and so in proportion for a shorter time, which said rent shall be received by the respective master or masters and paid into the hands of the clerk of the Trustees of said town, to be improved for payment for hired school house or school houses, and the overplus, if any there be, to repair the town school house. Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April next. Entered per

JOHN CHATFIELD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 44.—David Lester enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and two slits in the same ear and a half penny the upper side of the left ear. Entered May 14, 1784, by
JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Isaac Payne enters for his ear mark, bought of David Miller, a crop on the right ear, half penny under the same ear, and a half penny upper side the left ear. Entered June 10th, 1784, by

JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 65½.—At a legal town meeting held in the town of East Hampton March 4th, A. D., 1785, it was then agreed on by major vote of the proprietors and commonalty of the town abovesaid, that all the dogs in the town should be immediately killed, and if any person or persons shall refuse or neglect to kill their dog or dogs, and if any other person shall kill them the town will indemnify them. Entered per
JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 62½.—At our annual town meeting held in East Hampton on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1785, the following persons were chosen town officers :

Trustees—Jeremiah Miller,	David Mulford,
Nathaniel Gardiner,	Jeremiah Gardiner,
Nathaniel Huntting,	Daniel Conkling,
Isaac Conkling,	Seth Barns,
Jonathan Barns,	Daniel Hedges,
Thomas Osqorn,	Nathan Conkling.

Jeremiah Miller, Jr. and John Dayton, Jr. were chosen constables.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford, Nathan Dayton, Matthew

Barns and Stephen Edwards were chosen commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Osborn, Stephen Hedges, David Mulford, Matthew Barns and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors.

William Huntting, Stephen Hedges and Huntting Miller were chosen overseers of the poor.

Matthew Barns, collector.

Capt. John Dayton, supervisor.

Jeremiah Gardiner, Samuel Parsons, Daniel Conkling and Henry Dominy, fence viewers.

David Hedges, Thomas Jones and Abraham Sherril, sheep and swine pounders.

Samuel Mulford, Jonathan Schellinger and Philetus Osborn were chosen Napeague pounders.

Abraham Gardiner and Matthew Mulford, beach pounders.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid that all the meadow grass on the south beach, from Indian well to the foot of the high land, shall be hired out at public vendue.

Also agreed on by major vote on the day abovesaid, that if any person shall carry any clams from our north side abroad to any other town, they shall be liable to the penalty of eight pounds current money per bushel, the informer to have half the abovesaid sum, the other half to go to the support of the poor of the town.

Having finished the business of the day we do adjourn our town meeting to the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1786.
Entered per

JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book A, page 30. (Abstract.) To all people to whom these presents shall come, know ye that I, Jonathan Hedges, of Southampton, &c., weaver, for and in consideration of the sum of sixty pounds to me in hand paid by Annanias Cooper,

of same place, have granted and sold unto the said Cooper and to his heirs forever, one-eighth part of one share of land known by the name of Montauk, in East Hampton, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the fourth day of April, 1785.

JONATHAN HEDGES. [L.S.]

In presence of

Henry More,

Henry Beers.

Entered and compared and recorded May 30, 1785, per
JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 44.—David Topping enters for his ear mark a slope under the right ear and a hollow crop on the left ear, and a half penny under the same. Entered May 12th, 1785, by
JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 62½.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton, January 6th, 1786, it was agreed upon by the major part of the freeholders then convened together, that Dr. Samuel Hutchinson and Matthew Barns, should go to Moriches on the 10th inst., to meet a number of men from the respective towns in the county of Suffolk, to consult in matters relative to the county. Entered per
JEREMIAH MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 63.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton the fourth day of April, 1786, it being our annual town meeting day allowed us by our patent, the inhabitants being convened accordingly, the following persons were chosen town officers by major vote :

Trustees—Jeremiah Osborn, Jeremiah Miller, Jr.

Matthew Mulford,	Abraham Gardiner,
Elisha Mulford, Jr.	Abraham Miller,
Abraham Mulford, Jr.	Nathan Miller,
Thomas Wickham,	Matthew Barns,
Zebulon Conkling,	John Miller, Jr.

Abraham Barns, Jeremiah Miller, Jr., constables.

Nathan Dayton, Matthew Barns, Elisha Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Osborn, commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Miller, Jeremiah Gardiner, Elisha Mulford, Jr., Isaac Conkling, Enos Talmage, assessors.

Daniel Conkling, Abraham Gardiner, David Mulford, overseers of the poor.

Jesse Dayton, Reuben Hedges, Thomas Jones, sheep and swine pounders.

Daniel Conkling, Abraham Gardiner, Samuel Mulford, Jr., Daniel Dayton, Enos Talmage, Joseph Miller, overseers of the highways.

Capt. John Dayton, supervisor.

Matthew Barns, collector.

Henry Dominy, Samuel Parsons, Daniel Conkling, Jeremiah Gardiner, fence viewers.

Abraham Gardiner, Matihew Mulford, beach pounders.

John Huntting, Nathan Dayton Samuel Mulford, Jr., Na-peag pounders.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote that the overseers of the poor, for the year ensuing, namely: Daniel Conkling, Abraham Gardiner and David Mulford shall have full power and lawfvl authority to bind out as apprentices all the children of such parents belonging to this town, as are unable to maintain them, and also to compel all such persons to work as have not any visible means of gaining an honest livelihood agreeable to an act of the Legislature of this State, passed the 17th day of April, 1786.

Also it was voted, on the day abovesaid, that the sum of

thirty pounds will be necessary for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that if any person or persons shall catch any clams in this town and carry them to any other town, he or they shall be liable to a penalty of eight shillings for every bushel, to be recovered before any justice of the peace of this country, one half to any person that shall sue for the same, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that if any person or persons, not inhabitants or having right in this township, shall catch any fish in any of the bays, coves or creeks belonging to this town, with any kind of net or seine, he, she or they shall be liable to a fine of five pounds current money of New-York, for every draught of fish, as aforesaid, to be sued for and recovered before any Justice of the peace for this county. One half of which fine shall be for any person or persons that shall prosecute for the same, and the other half to go for the support of the poor of this town.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that five liekly young stallions shall be purchased for the use of the proprietors of Montauk, and that the trustees purchase them in the course of the ensuing summer, and put them on Montauk, &c.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that if any person or persons shall and do pick, rake, or any other way gather any cranberries, on any of the land or meadow belonging to the proprietors of Montauk, or of the town commons before the first Tuesday in October next, ensuing. He she or they so offending, shall be liable to a fine of eight shillings current money of New-York, per bushel and in the same proportion for a greater or less quantity, to be recovered by any person or persons that shall prosecute for the same.

The one half of said forfeitures to be for the benefit of the person that prosecutes for the same, and the other half for the benefit of the poor of this town. Entered per

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Cierk.

Adjourned the annual town meeting to the first Tuesday in April in the year 1787.

Book E, page 64½.—At a meeting of the proprietors of Montauk, legally held in East-Hampton the 22d day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, as follows :

1st. That all the hither end of Montauk west of the fort pond, shall be improved, to keep sheep for the benefit of the proprietors, and that all the cattle and horses shall be kept to the eastward of the said fort pond.

2d. That sixty-four sheep shall be allowed to go on one whole share, and in the same proportion for a greater or less right, and that four sheep shall go on and be entered in lieu of one neat beast, and that the lambs shall be entered on right, the same as grown sheep, by the first Wednesday in November, or be liable to poundage as grown sheep, and that all sheep that shall be found grazing on said land of Montauk not having right or not being duly entered, shall be impounded, the owner or owners of all such sheep so impounded paying two shillings for each sheep so impounded.

3d That a house and other buildings for a shepherd to take care of the sheep, shall be built at some convenient place on said land, and that a large field shall be fenced in, in order to cut hay for the sheep and to keep them in the winter, and that a shepherd shall be provided to live in said house to watch and take care of the sheep according to agreement and as he shall from time to time receive orders from the trustees

4th. That the Trustees shall have full power to agree on the place for erecting the building, and fencing the field above mentioned. And also to contract with any person or persons to build the house, &c., and to make the fences. And to agree with a proper person to live there as a shepherd to take care of the sheep, &c., and that the said trustees shall manage the whole affair of keeping sheep as abovesaid, as they shall think proper and most for the advantage of the proprietors. Recorded by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 65½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton, on Tuesday the third day of April, 1787, it being our annual town meeting day allowed us by our patent, the town officers were chosen, by major vote, as follows, viz:

Trustees—Jeremiah Miller,	David Mulford,
Nat. Gardiner,	John Dayton,
Elisha Osborn,	Stephen Hedges,
Ezekiel Mulford,	Jeremiah Gardiner,
Isaac Conkling,	Jonathan Barns,
Daniel Hedges,	Abraham Barns.

Jeremiah Miller, Jeremiah Gardiner, Elisha Mulford Jr., Isaac Conkling and Enos Talmage were chosen assesshrs.

Jeremiah Miller Jr., and Nathan Dayton chosen constables.

Nathan Dayton, Matthew Barns, Elisha Mulford Jr., Jeremiah Osborn and Elisha Osborn, chosen commissioners of highways.

Abraham Gardiner, Daniel Conkling, Matthew Stratton, Elisha Osborn Jr., Samuel Mulford, Timothy Miller, chosen overseers of highways.

Capt. John Dayton chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Osborn, Hunting Miller and Stephen Hedges were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Miller, Jr., chosen collector.

Samuel Parsons, Jeremiah Gardiner and Henry Dominy chosen fence viewers.

Jonathan Osborn, Jr., John Huntting, Samuel Mulford, Jr., Napeague pounders.

Abraham Gardiner, Elisha Mulford, Jr., John Miller, Jr., beach pounders.

Abraham Hand, Joseph Barns, Daniel Conkling, David Hedges, sheep and swine pounders.

On the day abovesaid, it was agreed on by major vote that a certain tract of common land shall be sold to Capt. Jeremiah Osborn for thirty pounds, and that the money be applied towards the expense of putting new sash windows in the meeting-house, said piece of land is situated at Georgica, and voted that the trustees shall give a deed to the said Jeremiah Osborn for the same, in behalf of the town.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that the overseers of the poor, for the year ensuing, namely: Stephen Hedges, Jeremiah Osborne and Huntting Miller, or any two of them shall have full power and lawful authority to bind out as apprentices, all children of such parents belonging to this town, as are unable to maintain them, and also to compel all such persons to work as have not any visible means of gaining an honest livelihood, agreeable to an act of the Legislature of this State passed the 17th day of April 1786. And also it was voted, on the day abovesaid, that the sum of fifty pounds will be necessary for the support of the poor of this town, the year ensuing.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that if any person or persons not inhabitants or not having right in this township, shall catch any fish in any of the bays, coves, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, with any kind of net or seine, he, she or they so offending shall be liable to a fine of five pounds current money of New-York, for every

draught of fish as aforesaid, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace for this county, the one equal half of all such fines shall be for the person or persons that shall prosecute for the same, and the other half to go for the support of the poor of this town.

Page 66½.—Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that if any person or persons shall or do pick, rake or any other way gather any cranberries on any of the land or meadow belonging to the proprietors of Montauk, or the town commons, before the second Tuesday in October, next, ensuing at sunrise, he, she or they so offending shall be liable to a fine of eight shillings per bushel, and in the same proportion for a greater or less quantity to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace for this county, by any person or persons that shall prosecute for the same, the one equal half to go for the support of the poor of this town.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that if any person or persons shall dig up and cart away any turf in the town street for the purpose of using it as dung within the term of one year from the date hereof, he, she or they so offending shall be liable to a fine of two shillings per load, to be paid to the trustees for the use of the town, provided nevertheless, that if any poor person hath a mind to get any turf, as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for them to get as many loads as the trustees shall grant them liberty to cart, and provided, also, that the above vote shall not extend to carting loam or dirt to fill up holes in yards, gardens &c.

Also agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that if any person shall turn any milch cowins or working horses on the commons, the year ensuing, and such cows and horses prove to be unruly, it shall be lawful for any persons to make complaint of said cows or horses to the trustees, and it shall be lawful for the trustees to examine said

persons and evidences, and to order the owners of all such cows or horses, to yoke, poke or fetter them, as the said trustees shall think proper, and if they are not immediately hampered, according to the order of the trustees, they shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such cows or horses paying four shillings for each cow or horse so impounded.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April 1788. Entered by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

EAST-HAMPTON, Oct. 30th, 1787.

Book G, page 171. Field Book—South 8 deg., east 33.25. South 11 deg., west 41.5. South 61 deg., east 22.5. North 20 deg., west 53.5.

The subscribers who were appointed by the trustees of East-Hampton as commissioners to meet the commissioners of the town of Southampton, at Sag-Harbor, for the purpose of laying out a road through Sag-Harbor, Little Division, do report that pursuant to the trust reposed in them they met said commissioners at the time and place by them appointed, and began to run a line from a place commonly called Pierce's corner, being the only boundaries that could, with any precision, be ascertained in this division, which is the south corner of lot No. 13 in said division, and ran on a course south 8 deg., east 128 feet, allowing 3 deg. for the variation of the compass, to the west to the extreme part of lot No. 17, and thence continued the same course 2 poles and one foot, then south 11 deg., west 10 poles to the southermost corner of amendment No. 5, where we staked off a road of two poles wide and run said road south 61 deg., east $22\frac{1}{2}$ poles to the East-Hampton road or line. On the east end of the amendment we found a sufficiency of land for all the lots, and a highway, which from the form of the lots and the testimony

of Mr. Joseph Conkling, who says he assisted in laying out the roads, together with many other circumstances, the commissioners did not hesitate to say a road was formerly laid out there and must now be established; but, upon the examination of the west line, we found much difficulty in ascertaining the boundaries, and, indeed, never could find, with any degree of accuracy, the southwest corner, but from the best information we could obtain, it appeared there was not sufficiency of land on that side of the amendment exclusive of the highway before mentioned, notwithstanding which the commissioners of Southampton agreed to have the road fixed at the place before mentioned, where we have every reason to believe it will be established. Annexed to this we have drawn a plot of this division, with the road as now staked off, which will serve to give a better idea of it than you otherwise could have, unless on the spot.

NATHANIEL GARDINER,
PHINEAS HEDGES.

Commissioners.

Recorded by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 45.—Matthew Topping, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope under the right ear and a half penny over the same, and a hollow crop on the left ear, and a half penny under the same. Entered November 16th, 1787, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 67.—At a town meeting, held in East-Hampton, on the first day of April, A. D., 1788, it being our annual town meeting day allowed us by our patent, the town officers were chosen, by major vote, as follows and the following votes passed, viz:

Trustees—Abraham Miller, Elisha Mulford Jr.,
 Abraham Gardiner, Daniel Conkling,
 Nathan Dayton, Jeremiah Osborn,
 John Miller Jr., Nathaniel Hand,
 Nathaniel Baker, Thomas Wickham,
 Enos Talmage, Jeremiah Miller, Jr.

Thomas Baker and Jeremiah Miller Jr., chosen constables.

Jeremiah Osborn, David Mulford, Ezekiel Mulford, Nathaniel Hand and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors.

Nathaniel Hand chosen collector.

Nathaniel Gardiner, Ezekiel Mulford and John Dayton chosen overseers of the poor.

Matthew Barns, Elisha Mulford Jr., Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Osborn and Nathan Dayton chosen commissioners of highways.

Edward Conkling, David Hedges, Jeremiah Miller Jr., David Talmage, Jacob Osborn Jr., and Isaac VanScoy chosen overseers of highways.

Capt. John Dayton chosen supervisor.

Henry Dominy, Jeremiah Gardiner and Samuel Parsons, chosen fence viewers.

Jonathan Osborn Jr., John Huntting, Samuel Mulford Jr., and Josiah Mulford, chosen Napeague pounders.

Seth Barns, Isaac Dimon and Elisha Conkling Jr., chosen beach pounders.

Abraham Hand, David Hedges, Joseph Barns, Samuel Mulford and Isaac Conkling, chosen swine pounders and sheep pounders.

Voted, 1st. That if any person or persons shall pick, rake or any other way gather any cranberries on any of the land or meadow belonging to the proprietors of Montauk or the town commons at any time before the second Tuesday in October next, ensuing at sunrise, he, she or they so offending shall be liable to a fine of eight shillings per bushel, cur-

rent money of New-York, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace for this county, by any person or persons that shall prosecute for the same one equal half of said forfeiture to be for the prosecutor or prosecutors, and the other half to go for the support of the poor of this town.

Page 67.—Voted 2d. That the overseers of the poor of this town, for the time being, or any two of them shall have full power and lawful authority to bind out as apprentices all children of such parents as are unable to maintain them. Also to compel, by binding out or otherwise, all such persons as have not any visible means of gaining an honest livelihood, agreeable to an act of legislature of this State passed the 17th day of April 1786.

Voted 3d. That if any person or persons in this township doth employ any stranger or vagrant person not belonging to this town, he, she or they so employing such persons as aforesaid, shall give sufficient security to the overseers of the poor of this town, for the time being, conditioned to maintain the town harmless from all manner of costs, charges troubles and expenses that hereafter doth or may accrue thereby and that every person or persons that doth employ any stranger &c., as abovesaid, and doth neglect to give security as aforesaid, shall be liable to a penalty of forty shillings current money of New-York, per week, for every week so neglected, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace for this county, by any person or persons that shall prosecute for the same, for the support of the poor of this town. Entered April 1st., 1778 by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 45.—Isaac Barnes Hand enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the left ear and a half penny under each ear. Entered April 8th, 1788, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Silas Hand enters for his ear mark a slope the under side of the left ear, and a half penny under the same ear. Entered May 2d, 1788, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Abraham Miller enters for his ear mark one half penny the under side of the left ear and for his brand mark a [] on the left shoulder, which marks were given him by his father Eleazer Miller, deceased. Entered June 4th, 1788, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Ezekiel Payne enters for his ear mark a slope the upper side of each ear. Entered November 21st, 1788, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 46.—David VanScoy enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the same ear, and a half penny the upper side of the left ear, which mark he bought of Isaac Payne. Entered November 22d, 1788 by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Mulford Osborne enters for his ear mark a slit in the left ear, given him by his father. Entered Jan. 9th, 1709, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Hedges Osborne enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the same, and a slope the under side of right ear, given him by his father. Entered January 8, 1789, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 68½.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton on Tuesday the seventh day of April, 1789, it being our annual town meeting day, the town officers were

chosen by major vote for the year ensuing as follows, and the following votes passed, viz:

Trustees—Nathaniel Gardiner,	David Mulford,
Jeremiah Miller,	Daniel Hedges,
Isaac Conkling,	Matthew Barns,
Elisha Osborn,	David Hedges,
Abraham Mulford, Jr.	Abraham Barns,
Nathaniel Huntting,	Abraham Sherrill, Jr.

Jeremiah Miller, Jr. and Thomas Baker were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Hand was chosen collector.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

John Dayton, Ezekiel Mulford and Stephen Hedges were chosen overseers of the poor.

Huntting Miller, Stephen Hedges, John Miller Jr., Jeremiah Osborn, Nathaniel Hand and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors,

Jeremiah Osborn, Matthew Barns and Elisha Mulford Jr., were chosen commissioners of highways.

Isaac VanScoy, Elisha Conkling Jr., Seth Barns, Jonathan Tuthill, Elisha Miller, Samuel Mulford Jr., and Jared Hand were chosen overseers of the highways.

Jeremiah Miller, David Mulford and Ezekiel Mulford were chosen fence viewers.

John Huntting, Jonathan Osborn Jr., and Samuel Mulford Jr., were chosen Napeague pounders.

Seth Barns, Abraham Dimon Jr., and Joseph Barns were chosen beach pounders.

Jonathan Tuthill, Jesse Dayton, Jeremiah Miller Jr., Thomas Edwards and Philetus Osborn were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Elisha Mulford Jr., was chosen pound master.

Voted 1st. That the Trustees shall have full power to agree with men to live in the different houses at Montauk to

do the proprietor's business until the first of January next, and also from said time for one year.

2d. Voted and agreed on by major vote, on the day above-said, that if any person or persons shall and doth rake, pick or any other way gather any cranberries on any of the lands or meadows belonging to the proprietors of Montauk or the town commons at any time before the second Tuesday in October next, ensuing at sunrise, he, she or they so offending ing shall forfeit and pay the sum of eight shillings, current money of New-York, per bushel, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace in and for the county of Suffolk. The one equal half of said forfeiture to be for the prosecutor or prosecutors and the other half to go for the support of the poor of this town.

3d. Also voted and agreed on by major vote, on the day abovesaid, that the sum of eighty pounds be raised for the support of the poor of this town, for the year ensuing.

Also agreed on, by major vote, on the day abovesaid, the trustees for this town shall have full power to appoint a collector or collectors to gather the arrears of Mr. Buell's rates in such manner as they shall think proper. Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, in the year 1790. Recorded by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the proprietors of Montauk legally held on the 29th day of 1879, at the meeting house in East-Hampton. (Crossed in original.)

Marks 46.—Jared Hand enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and a nick under the right ear. Entered April 9th, 1789, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Henry Topping enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same, and a slope underside

of the right ear and a half penny over the same. Entered May 23d, 1789, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 70.—At a meeting of the proprietors of Montauk legally held at the meeting house in East-Mampton on the 29th day of June 1789, voted, by unanimous vote, without one dissenting vote, that David Hedges, David Pier-son, Thomas Wickham, Abraham Miller and Jeremiah Osborn be, and they are hereby appointed a committee, to act in conjunction with the trustees of the town of East-Hampton, for the time being, in negotiating the business between the Montauk tribe of Indians, and Jonathan Hedges and others, with full power, if they think proper to support the said Indians in defending their privileges at Montauk, provided they can have security for the payment of monies expended in said business.

ABRAMAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 180. [Abstract.] Know all men by these presents that I, Isaac Osborn, of Winslow, in the county of Lincoln, Massachusetts, yeoman, for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred pounds lawful money, truly paid by Daniel Hopping, of East Hampton, &c., weaver, have sold and conveyed one half of a certain tract of undivided land lying in two divisions situated in said town of East-Hampton, bounded as follows: beginning at the northeast corner and running southerly along by the pond till it comes to a creek called Stephen's creek; thence running up said creek about forty rods to land of David Hedges, thence running west about thirty rods to a road; thence running northerly up said road to land of Jacob Osborn; thence running northeast to

the first mentioned bounds, containing about thirty acres, more or less. The other division lying forty rods northwest, beginning at the southeast corner, running northwest till it comes to a road; thence running northeast about sixty rods to a road; thence south about sixty poles, to land of Jacob Osborn; thence running west to the first mentioned bounds and contains about thirty acres, more or less, together with one half a windmill, standing just by said premises. To have and to hold the one half of the undivided premises. Furthermore, I, the said Isaac Osborn, for myself and my heirs do warrant and defend.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 1st day of October, 1789

ISAAC OSBORNE. [L.S.]

In presence of

Arthur Lithgow,

A. A. Emerson.

Acknowledged before Arthur Lithgow, Justice of the Peace, at Lincoln, October 2d, 1779.

Entered and compared Dec. 18, 1804, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 46.—William Pierson, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark, bought of Daniel Pierson a hollow crop on the left ear and a half penny the under side of each ear. Entered December 9th, 1789, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 47.—Samuel Pierson, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark, bought of Benjamin Flint, a hollow crop on the left ear and nick on the under side of the same ear. Entered December 9th, 1789, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 70½.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton on Tuesday the sixth day of April, A. D., 1790, the town officers were chosen, by major vote, for the year ensuing, as follows, and the following votes passed :

Trustees—Abraham Miller, Jeremiah Osborn,
John Miller, Jr., Nathaniel Hand,
David Baker, Abraham Gardiner,
Daniel Conkling, Nathan Dayton,
Hunting Miller, Elisha Conkling Jr.,
Elisha Mulford Jr., Thomas Wickham,

Jeremiah Miller Jr., and Thomas Baker were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Hand was chosen collector.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Stephen Hedges and John Dayton were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Matthew Barns were chosen commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Osborn, Hunting Miller Jr., Nathaniel Hand and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors.

Daniel Dayton, William Mulford, Henry Chatfield, Samuel Mulford Jr., John Parsons the 3d and Thomas Osborn were chosen overseers of the highways.

Elisha Mulford Jr., Jeremiah Miller Jr., and Abraham Mulford were chosen fence viewers.

Jonathan Schellinger Jr., Isaac Edwards, Elisha Conkling Abraham Gardiner, Seth Barns and Jeremiah Dayton Jr., were chosen beach pounders.

Elisha Mulford Jr., was chosen pound master.

Jeremiah Miller Jr., and Reuben Hedges were chosen Napeague pounders.

Jonathan Mulford, Samuel Hutchinson, Edward Mulford, Josiah Hedges and Jonathan Baker were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That the sum of eighty pounds be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted 2d. That if any person or persons shall and doth rake, pick, or any other way gather any cranberries on any of the lands or meadows belonging to the proprietors of Montauk or the town commons at any time before the second Tuesday in October next ensuing at sunrise, he she or they so offending shall for every such offence forfeit the sum of eight shillings current money of New York per bushel, and in the same proportion for a greater or lesser quantity, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect, one half of which forfeiture when recovered to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of the said poor, and the other half to the person or persons who shall sue for the same as aforesaid.

Voted 3d. That if any person or persons shall catch any clams anywhere within the bounds of this town and carry them out of the town, he, she or they so offending shall for every such offence forfeit the sum of eight shillings current money of New York for every bushel so caught and transported as aforesaid, to be recovered with costs of suit before any Justice of the Peace in and for this county, one half of which forfeiture when recovered to be paid to any person who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half to go for the support of the poor of this town.

Voted 4th. That the Trustees have full power to agree with Nathan Hand to live in house where he now lives at Montauk the year ensuing, on such terms as they shall think proper.

Marks 47.—Benjamin Miller enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the left ear and a half penny on the under-side of the same ear. Entered May 20th, 1790 by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Henry Haines, of Sag-Harbor, enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of the left ear and a slope on the upperside of the same ear. Entered June 1st, 1790, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Strong enters for his ear mark an ell the underside of the left ear and a crop on the same. Entered July 7th, 1790

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Cook, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear and a slip on the under side of the left ear. Entered the 2d day of December 1790, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 72.—At a town meeting held in and for the town of East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, A. D., 1791, the town officers were chosen by major vote, as follows and the following vote also passed, by major vote.

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—David Mulford,	Ezekiel Mulford,
Jeremiah Miller,	Joseph Osborn,
Seth Barns,	Enos Talmage,
Samuel Mulford Jr.,	Nathaniel Baker,
David Fithian,	David Hedges,
Nathaniel Huntting,	Merry Parsons.

Reuben Hedges and Jonathan Tuthill were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Hand was chosen collector.

Stephen Hedges, John Dayton and Huntting Miller were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Osborn, Nathaniel Hand, John Miller, Huntting Miller and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Matthew Barns were chosen commissioners of highways.

Samuel Parsons, Jonathan Schellinger, David Russell, Joseph Osborn, Timothy Miller and Elisha Osborn, Jr., were chosen overseers of highways.

Abraham Gardiner, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Abraham Dimon Jr., were chosen beach pounders.

Jeremiah Parsons Jr., Abraham Hand Jr., and Abraham Osborn were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Miller, Stephen Hedges and Nathaniel Huntting were chosen fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford Jr., was chosen pound master.

Nathan Dayton, Jonathan Barns, Benjamin Miller and Abraham Gardiner were chosen Napeague pounders.

Voted 1st. That the sum of one hundred pounds be raised for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

Voted 2d. That if any person or persons shall and doth rake, pick or any other way gather any cranberries on any of the lands or meadows belonging to the proprietors of Montank, or the town commons, at any time before the second Tuesday in October next ensuing, at sunrise, he, she or they so offending shall for every such offence forfeit the sum of eight shillings per bushel, and in the same proportion for a greater or lesser quantity, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect, the one half of which forfeitures to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of the said poor, and the other half for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

Voted 3d. That if any person or persons shall and doth catch any clams within the bounds of this town and carry them out of the town, he, she or they so offending shall for-

feit the sum of eight shillings per bushel for every bushel so caught (and transported) to be recovered with cost of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, the one half of which forfeiture to be for the benefit of any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half to go for the support of the poor of this town.

Voted 4th. That Jeremiah Hedges, Jr., of Sag Harbor, have liberty to erect a house below the cliff at Sag Harbor on the common land belonging to this town, on condition that he shall remove said house when he shall be ordered by a majority of votes in town meeting of this town.

Voted 5th. That if any person or persons not belonging to this town, or not having right therein, shall and doth catch any fish with any seine or net in the pond belonging to this town, called Georgica pond, within the term of one year from the date hereof, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of five pounds current money of New York for every offence, or for every draught of fish so drawn or caught, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect, the one equal half of which forfeiture when recovered to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of any person or persons that shall prosecute for the same to effect.

Voted 6th. That if any person or persons shall and doth mow or cut any beach grass on any of the beaches belonging to this town without liberty from the trustees, he or they so offending shall for every such offence forfeit the sum of three pounds current money of New York per load, and in the same proportion for a greater or lesser quantity, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, one half of said forfeiture to be for benefit of the poor of this town and the

other half for the benefit of any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1792.

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 48.—John P. Osborne enters for his ear mark a half penny the under side of the right ear, a slit in the left ear, and a nick the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 16th day of April, 1791.

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 48.—David Howell, of Southampton, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same and a slope on the underside of the left ear. Recorded the 26th day of October, 1791.

Jonathan Parsons enters for his ear mark a slope on the underside of the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 19th day of Dec. 1791, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Parsons, the fourth, enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny on the upperside of the same ear and a slope on the underside of the right ear. Recorded the 19th day of December, 1791, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Miller enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the left ear and a half penny on the underside of the right ear and a slit in the same ear. Recorded the 19th day of December, 1791, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Zebulon Conklin enters for his ear mark an ell on the underside of the right ear and a half penny on the upperside

of the left ear, which was his father's. Recorded the 19th day of December, 1791, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 49.—Simon Conklin enters for his ear mark an ell on the underside of the right ear and a half penny each side of the left ear. Recorded the 19th day of December, 1791, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Bennett Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of the right ear and a nick on the underside of the left ear. Recorded the 14th day of March, 1792, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 74.—At a town meeting held in East-Hampton on Tuesday the third day of April, 1762, the town officers were chosen and the votes or laws passed by a majority of votes as follows :

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Abraham Miller,	Elisha Mulford Jr.,
Jeremiah Osborn,	John Miller,
Abraham Mulford,	Joseph Barns,
Abraham Gardiner.	Jeremiah Miller Jr.,
Matthew Barns,	Nathaniel Hand,
Elisha Osborn,	Matthew Mulford.

Jonathan Tuthill and Aaron Isaacs Jr., were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Hand was chosen collector.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Osborn, Nathaniel Hand, John Miller, Elisha Osborn and Hunting Miller were chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Matthew Barns were chosen commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Schellinger, Joseph Osborn, Matthew Stratton, David Talmage, Elisha Osborn Jr., and Miller Dayton were chosen overseers of the highways.

Stephen Hedges, John Dayton and David Fithian were chosen overseers of the poor.

Abraham Gardiner, Elisha Mulford Jr., Abraham Dimon Jr., were chosen beach pounders.

Phillip Leek, Jeremiah Parsons Jr., and Abraham Osborn were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Stephen Hedges, Jeremiah Miller and Nathaniel Huntting were chosen fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford Jr., was chosen pound master.

Abraham Gardiner, Jonathan Barns and John Huntting were chosen Napeague pounders.

Voted 1st. That the sum of one hundred pounds be raised for the support of the poor of this town, the year ensuing.

Voted 2d. That if any person or persons shall rake, pick or any other way gather any cranberries on any of the lands or meadows belonging to the proprietors of Montauk, or the town commons, at any time before the second Tuesday in October next, ensuing at sunrise he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit the sum of twelve shillings current money of New-York per bushel, and in the same proportion for a greater or less quantity, to be recovered with costs of suit before any Court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same, to effect the one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as abovesaid.

Voted 3d. That if any person or persons shall catch any clams anywhere within the bounds of this town and carry them out of the town, he, she or they so offending shall, for

every such offence, forfeit the sum of eight shillings current money of New-York, for every bushel so caught and transported, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any Court having cognizance thereof. The one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

Voted 4th. That if any person or persons not belonging to this town shall catch any fish with any seine or net in the pond belonging to this town, called Georgica pond, within the term of one year from the date hereof, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of five pounds current money of New York for every offence or for every draught of fish so drawn or caught, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures when recovered to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

Voted 5th. That if any persons shall and doth mow or cut any beach grass on any of the beaches belonging to this town, he or they so offending shall for every such offence forfeit the sum of three pounds current money of New York per load, and in the same proportion for a greater or lesser quantity, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures when recovered to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

Voted 6th. That if any person or persons shall cut or any

other way destroy any trees or bushes on any part of the highway on the road from the town to Sag Harbor, unless ordered or permitted by the commissioners or overseers of the highways of this town, he, she or they offending shall forfeit and pay one shilling current money of the state of New York, for every tree or bush so cut or destroyed as aforesaid, to be recovered with costs of suit by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect before any court having cognizance thereof, the one equal half of all the said forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the benefit of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

Voted 7th. That the meadow grass between Amagansett lane and the foot of high land be sold at public vendue, and accordingly hired it for this year to John Huntting for eight shillings.

Voted 8th. That the trustees shall let Gamaliel Bennet have a piece of land to set his house on, and for a garden, at such place as they shall think proper, and on such terms as they may think proper.

Marks, 49.—Jeremiah Miller, Jr., enters for his son Jeremiah's ear mark a crop on the right ear and a nick the under side of the same ear and a half penny the upper side of the left ear, which was his uncle Matthew Miller's mark, and given to him. Recorded the 10th day of April, 1792, by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Miller, Jr., enters for his son Samuel's ear mark a crop on the right ear and an ell the upper side of the left ear, and a half penny the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 10th day of April, 1792, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Aaron Isaacs, Jr., enters for his ear mark, bought of Jacob Conklin, a crop on the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 10th day of April, 1792.
by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 50.—Elnathan Parsons enters for his brand mark for horses, E P on the left shoulder. Recorded the 8th day of June, 1792, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Pierson, of Bridge Hampton, enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and a half penny the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 24th day of June, 1792, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Daniel Howell, Jr., of Southampton, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same and a slope the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 24th day of June, 1792, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Nathan Mulford, Jr. enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the crop, and a half penny the under side of the same ear and a slit in the right ear. Recorded the 30th day of June, 1792, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Topping, Jr. of Bridge Hampton enters for his ear marks a slope the upper side of the right ear and a hollow crop on the left ear and a half penny the under side of the left ear, and also a slope the under side of the left ear, a hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny the under side of

the right ear. Recorded the 5th day of December, 1792, by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Abraham Mulford enters his son Abraham Mulford, Jr's., ear mark an ell-the upper side of the left ear and a half penny the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 19th of December, 1792, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Talmage, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in the same ear. Entered the 1st day of March, 1793, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 76.—At a town meeting held in East Hampton, on Tuesday the 2d day of April, 1793, the town officers were chosen, and the votes or laws passed as follows, viz :

Abraham Miller was chosen town clerk.

Trustees—Ezekiel Mulford,	David Mulford,
Daniel Conkling,	Nathan Dayton,
Seth Barns,	Huntting Miller,
Isaac Conkling,	Nathaniel Baker,
William Huntting,	William Mulford,
David Fithian,	Elisha Conkling, Jr.

Aaron Isaacs, Jr. and Jonathan Tuthill were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Hand, collector.

Abraham Miller, supervisor.

Stephen Hedges, John Dayton, Ezekiel Mulford, overseer of the poor.

John Miller, Jr., Josiah Hedges, and Joseph Barns, beach pounders.

Nathaniel Hand, Ezekiel Mulford, Jeremiah Osborn, David Mulford, Elisha Osborn, assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford, Jr., and Matthew Barns, commissioners of highways.

Aaron Isaacs, Jr., Matthew Stratton, John Gardiner, Jonathan Schellinger, Isaac Scoy, Elisha Osborn, Jr., overseers of highways.

Stephen Hedges, Nathaniel Huntting, Jeremiah Miller, Jr., fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford, Jr., pound master.

John Huntting, Huntting Miller, Jonathan Barns, Napeague pounders.

Elisha Fithian, Mulford Osborn, Phillip Leek, sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That the overseers of the poor of this town, at their discretion, have liberty to supply John King with money or other articles sufficient for him to move to Spencer town or elsewhere, as they shall think best, and also to let the widow Elizabeth Bennet have cash to enable her to move to Shoreham, in the State of Vermont.

Voted 2d. That if any person or persons not belonging to this town shall catch any fish, with any seine or net, in the pond belonging to this town, called Georgica pond, within the term of one year from the date hereof, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of five pounds current money of New-York for every offence, or for every draught of fish so drawn or caught, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same, to effect. The one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

Voted 3d. That if any person or persons doth mow or cut any beach grass on any of the beaches belonging to this

town, without first obtaining liberty of the Trustees, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit the sum of three pounds current money of New-York, per load, and in the same proportion for a greater or less quantity, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same to effect the one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

Voted 4th. That if any person or persons shall cut or any other way destroy any trees or bushes on any part of the highway, on the road that goes from the town to Sag-Harbor, meaning the road that goes from David Dayton's, unless ordered or permitted by the commissioners or overseers of the highways, every person so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of one shilling for every tree or bush so cut or destroyed, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall sue and prosecute for the same, to effect. The one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be for the overseers of the poor of this town, for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons that shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

Voted 5th. That the Trustees shall have full power and authority to appoint and fix on the time when the sheep shall be allowed to go onto Montauk in the spring of the year, and also when the horses shall be allowed to go on, and also when the cattle shall be allowed to go onto Montauk in the spring of the year, and if any horse kind, neat cattle or sheep shall be found on the land of Montauk, in the spring of the year, before liberty, is granted by the Trustees, as

aforesaid, all such horse kind, neat cattle or sheep shall be liable to be impounded, and the owner or owners thereof shall pay eight shillings for each horse kind and eight shillings for each neat beast and two shillings for each sheep so impounded.

Voted 6th. That all the meadow grass between Amagansett lane and the foot of high land shall be hired out the ensuing year at public vendue, and accordingly hired it to Capt Jonathan Barns for 50s.

Voted 9. That one hundred and thirty pounds be raised for the support of the poor of this town, the year ensuing.

Marks 51.—Deacon David Hedges, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope on the underside of the right ear, bought of the widow Jemima Stratton. Recorded the 17th day of June, 1793, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Ranger enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of the left ear, and a half penny on each side of the right ear. Recorded the 23d day of August, 1793, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Braddock Corey, of Sag-Harbor, enters for his ear mark a slit in the right ear and a half penny on the upperside of the same ear. Recorded the 23d day of August, 1793, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 174.—Whereas a controversy has arisen between David Russel, of East Hampton, in the county of Suffolk, proprietor of certain lands in a neck of land known by the name of Little Northwest Neck, and being within the town aforesaid, and certain persons residing in said town, proprietors of the meadows adjoining to the said neck of land, relative to the roads or highways leading through or passing

along by the lands of the said David Russell into the said meadows, and the respective parties having agreed to leave the said matter in dispute to us the subscribers, as arbitrators, to determine where the said highways shall run, and we the subscribers having taken the said matter into consideration, and heard the allegations and proofs of the respective parties, are of opinion that if the proprietors of the said meadows in passing to and returning from their meadows and lands adjoining were to be altogether confined to the passing highways mentioned in the records of the town of East Hampton, as reserved for their use when the said neck of land was first laid out and sold, it would in many respects be inconvenient both to the said proprietors and to the said David Russell, the said record having determined that for the greater part of the way the said highway should run along by and be adjoining to the lands and meadows which had been before that time laid out, and that in one place one of the said roads should run along by or near to the place where the barn or cowyard of the said David Russell now stands, and there being now no evidence to determine with certainty where the bounds of the meadow lots and lands laid out with them originally were, recourse must be had in such cases to possession, in order to determine the bounds, and this possession in the present case so far as appears to us from the evidence that hath been exhibited by the parties, can only be determined by the line fence running between the said meadow lots and the land occupied by the said David Russell.

We are therefore of opinion that it would be most beneficial for all the parties concerned, to lay aside the old passing highways mentioned in the records, and in the room of them to establish new passing highways for the conveniency of the proprietors of the meadows in the manner following, that is to say, one passing highway three rods wide to begin at the bars at the head of the red spring swamp, and to run north-

wardly along by and adjoining the meadow lots which lie to the southward of a certain swamp that puts out westwardly from the meadows on the east side of the said neck, and to continue along by and adjoining to the said lots until it comes to the said swamp, the said highway to be for the accommodation of the owners of those meadow lots which lie to the southward of the said swamp.

And another passing highway to begin at the said bars at the head of the Red Spring swamp, and to be three rods wide and to run as the path now runs along by the said David Russell's house, and from thence to run as the path now runs to the west end of said swamp, and from thence along by the north side of the said swamp until it comes to the meadow lots lying to the northward of the said swamp, and from thence along by and adjoining to the said meadow lots until it comes to a place known in the said records, by the name of Ephraim Stratton's bars, and from thence to continue, as the road now runs along by the east side of the said neck; the said highway to be for the accommodation of the owners of those meadow lots which lie to the northward of the swamp above mentioned.

And another passing highway, three rods wide, to begin near David Russell's house, where the highway last above mentioned shall begin to turn towards the swamp, and from thence to run northwardly along by and adjoining to the meadow-lots which lie on the west side of the said neck, and so to continue until it comes to the bay or harbor. The said highway to be for the accommodation of the proprietors of those meadow lots which lie on the west side of the said neck.

And whereas the new roads above proposed, will, in several places, deviate from the old roads mentioned in the said records, we are further of the opinion that all such parts of old recorded roads running on each side of the said neck, as

may not be comprehended in or run in the same place as the new roads above proposed, ought to be considered as private property of the said David Russell after the said new roads are laid out, and that the said David Russell ought to be considered as the owner or proprietor of all the wood or timber growing or standing on the said new proposed roads as having a right to pasture the same in like manner as has heretofore been practiced with respect to passing highways in other parts of the said town of East-Hampton, and that he ought not to have any compensation for having any or either of the said new proposed roads laid out along through or adjoining to any of his lands, other than what has been above mentioned, and that he or his legal representatives shall, at all times hereafter, keep a good and sufficient gate or gates at the place where the bars now stand, at the head of the Red Spring swamp, and shall not obstruct or fence across any part of the said roads in such manner as to render them unfit for passing highways, but wherever any fence may run across the said highways, shall keep good and sufficient gates or bars, and shall not obstruct the said roads by plowing or otherwise. And further, we are of the opinion that the expense which has arisen in consequence of this present arbitration so far as respects a compensation to be made to the arbitrators for their time and trouble in attending the business ought to be paid, the one half part of it by the said David Russell, and the other half part of it by the owners of the said meadows.

In witness we have hereunto affixed our hands and seals on this twenty-eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord, 1793.

NATHAN FORDHAM, [L.S.]

JAMES WHITE, [L.S.]

JONATHAN N. HAVENS. [L.S.]

The above is a true copy taken from the original and compared therewith by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 51.—John Strong Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of the right ear and a slit in the left and a half penny on the upperside of the left ear, which he bought of Enos Talmage. Recorded the 21st day of December 1793, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 52.—Thomas Osborne enters for his ear mark a slit in the end of each ear and a half penny on the underside of the right, and a half penny on the upperside of the left ear. Recorded the 21st of December, 1793, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 79.—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on Tuesday the first day of April, 1794, the town officers for the year ensuing, and the votes or town laws passed as follows. viz :

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Jeremiah Osborn,	Abraham Miller,
Elisha Mulford Jr.,	Matthew Mulford,
David Hedges,	Abraham Mulford,
Ludlam Parsons,	Matthew Barns,
Samuel Mulford Jr.,	Abraham Gardiner,
Elisha Osborn Jr.,	John Huntting.

Aaron Isaacs Jr., and Jonathan Tuthill were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Hand was chosen collector.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Osborn and Nathaniel Dominy were chosen overseers of the poor.

Nathaniel Hand, Jeremiah Osborn, Nathan Dayton, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Matthew Barns were chosen commissioners of highways.

Aaron Isaacs Jr., Matthew Stratton, Elisha Miller, Jonathan Schellinger, Isaac VanScoy and Thomas Osborn were chosen overseers of the highways,

Daniel Conkling, Jeremiah Miller Jr., Ludlam Parsons were chosen fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford Jr., was chosen pound master.

Jonathan Barns, Isaac Edwards, Hunting Miller and John Hunting were chosen Napeague pounders.

John Miller Jr., Josiah Hedges, Joseph Barns, Elisha Conkling Jr., Thomas Osborn were chosen beach pounders.

Josiah Hedges, Josiah Mulford Jr., David Talmage 3d, Abraham Edwards were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That one hundred and thirty pounds be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted 2d. That the Trustees shall have full power and authority to appoint and fix the time when the sheep, horses and cattle shall be allowed to go to Montauk in the spring of the year, and if any horse kind, neat cattle or sheep shall be found grazing on Montauk at any time after they are respectively ordered from Montauk, by the trustees in the fall of the year. And so during the whole winter until the Trustees have granted liberty for them, respectively, to go to Montauk in the spring, all such horse kind, neat cattle or sheep shall be liable to be impounded, and the owner or owners of all such creatures so impounded shall pay eight shillings for each horse kind, and for each neat beast, and two shillings for each sheep so impounded.

3d. That if any person or persons doth mow or cut any beach grass on any of the beaches belonging to this town, within the term of one year from the date hereof, without first obtaining liberty of the Trustees, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit the sum of three pounds per load; and in the same proportion for a greater or less quantity, to be recovered, with costs of suit,

before any Court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one equal half of all such forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of supporting said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the of person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

4th. That if any person or persons not belonging to this town shall catch any fish with any seine or net in the pond belonging to this town, called Georgica pond, within the term of one year from the date hereof, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit the sum of five pounds current money of New-York, for every offence, or for every draught of fish drawn or caught, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any Court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of supporting said poor, and the other half to be for benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

5th. That if any person or persons shall cut or any other way destroy any trees or bushes on any part of the highway on the road that goes from the town to Sag-Harbor, meaning the road from David Dayton's, unless ordered or permitted by the commissioners or overseers of the highways, every person so offending shall forfeit the sum of one shilling for every tree or bush so cut or destroyed, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of the poor of this town for the use of supporting said poor,

and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as abovesaid.

6th. That if any person or persons shall cut or any other way destroy any pine or cedar trees or bushes on any part of the common land at Napeague, within the term of one year from the date hereof, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit the sum of one shilling for every tree or bush so cut or destroyed, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of supporting said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

7th. That the meadow grass between Amagansett land and thh foot of high land, shall be hired out by way of public vendue for the year ensuing, and hired it accordingly to Capt. Jonathan Barns for 36s.

Book E, page 81.—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1795, the town officers for the year ensuing were chosen, and the votes or town laws were pessed, as follows:

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—David Mulford,	Nathaniel Hand,
Isaac Edwards,	Samuel Parsons,
Miller Dayton,	Jeremiah Miller,
Jonathan Mulford Jr.,	Daniel Conkling Jr.,
Nathan Dayton,	Elisha Osborn,
Seth Barns,	Daniel Hedges.

Jonathan Tuthill and Aaron Isaacs Jr., were chosen con-
Nathaniel Hand was chosen collector.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Nathaniel Hand, Jeremiah Osborn, Abraham Gardiner, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford Jr., and Matthew Barns were chosen commissioners of highways.

John Huntting, David Russell, Elisha Conkling Jr., Henry Chatfield, David Talmage 3d, and Isaac Conkling were chosen overseers of highways.

Abraham Mulford and Recompence Sherrill were chosen fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford Jr., was chosen pound master.

Jonathan Barns, Isaac Edwards, Huntting Miller and John Huntting were chosen Napeague pounders.

Jonathan Fithian, Samuel Huntting and David Talmage 3d, were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

John Miller Jr., Josiah Hedges, Joseph Barns, Elisha Conkling Jr., and Thomas Osborn were chosen beach pounders.

Voted 1st. That one hundred pounds be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the trustees shall have full power and authority to fix the time when the sheep, horses and cattle shall be allowed to go to Montauk in the spring of the year, and if any horse kind, neat cattle or sheep shall be found grazing on Montauk at any time after they are respectively ordered from Montauk by the trustees in the fall or winter, until the trustees have granted liberty for them to go in the spring, all such horse kind, neat cattle or sheep shall be liable to be pounded, and the owner or owners of all such creatures so impounded shall pay eight shillings for each horse kind and each neat beast and two shillings for each sheep so impounded.

3d. That if any person or persons shall and doth mow or cut any beach grass on any of the beaches belonging to this town within the term of one year from the date hereof, with-

out first obtaining liberty of the trustees, he, she or they so offending shall for every such offense forfeit the sum of three pounds per load, and in the same proportion for a greater or lesser quantity, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect the one equal half of all which forfeitures when recovered to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of supporting said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

4th. That if any person or persons not belonging to this town shall catch any fish with a seine or seines or net or nets in the pond belonging to this town, called Georgica pond, within the term of one year from the date hereof, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit the sum of five pounds current money of New York for every offence, or for every draught of fish drawn or caught, as aforesaid, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures recovered to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of supporting said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

5th. That if any person or persons shall cut or any other way destroy any trees or bushes on any part of the highway on the road from the town to Sag-Harbor, westward of David Dayton's house, unless ordered or permitted by the commissioners or overseers of the highways, every person so offending shall forfeit the sum of one shilling for every tree or bush so cut or destroyed, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any Court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of

said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

6th. That any person or persons who shall cut or any other way destroy any pine or cedar trees or bushes on any part of the common land at Napeague within the term of one year from the date hereof, every person so offending shall forfeit the sum of one shilling for every tree or bush cut or destroyed, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town, for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

7th. That the meadow grass between Amagansett lane and the foot of highland shall be hired out by way of public vendue, for the year ensuing, to be mowed and not pastured, and hired it accordingly to Capt. Jonathan Barns for 36s. paid.

8th. That if any person or persons shall cut or any other way destroy any trees or bushes on any part of Cedar Point or Cedar Island that belongs to this town commons, every person so offending shall forfeit the sum of five shillings for every tree or bush so cut or destroyed, as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one equal half of all which forfeitures when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of supporting said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

9th. That the overseers of the poor of this town shall repair the widow Amy Bowers' house, to be paid by the town.

10. That the trustees shall give a lease to Nathaniel Domi-

ny, of ten feet square, in the street adjoining his clock-maker's shop, during the term that his house, now standing there, shall remain where it is, &c.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1796

Recorded by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 52.—Matthew Howell Cooper, of Southampton, enters for his ear mark a slope on the underside of the right ear and a half penny on the underside of the left ear, which he bought of Ludlum Parsons, as appears by a certificate signed by said Ludlum Parsons. Entered the 9th day of April, 1795, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Benjamin Bennet enters for his ear mark a half penny on the underside of the left ear and a nick on the underside of the right ear. Recorded the 28th day of April, 1795, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 83.—At a meeting of the proprietors of Montauk, at the meeting house in East-Hampton, on Tuesday the 7th day of July, 1795.

Voted 1st. That Abraham Miller be clerk of this meeting.

2d. That the Trustees of the town of East Hampton, together with David Hedges of the township of Southampton and Ezekiel Mulford, Abraham Miller, Jeremiah Osborn, Abraham Gardiner and Huntting Miller be a committee with power on the part of the proprietors of Montauk, to contract with Henry P. Dering, Esq., or any other person or persons that shall be legally authorised on the part of the United States, for the land of Montauk point for the purpose of erecting a light house there on such terms as they or majori-

ty of them shall think proper or most advantageous to the proprietors, and that the trustees of the town of East Hampton for the time being shall have full power and authority to dispose of any quantity of timber, stone or other materials on said land of Montauk to the builders of said light house as they shall think proper.

Recorded the 7th day of July, 1795, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 52.—Ambrose Parsons enters for his ear mark a slope the under side of the right ear a crop on the left ear, and a niek the under side of the left ear. Entered the 16th day of December, 1795 by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 83½.—At an annual town meeting held in East Hampton, on Tuesday the 5th day of April, 1796, the town officers for the year ensuing were chosen, and the votes or town laws were passed as follows:

Elisha Mulford, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

Trustees—Abraham Miller,	Jeremiah Osborn,
Elisha Mulford, Jr.,	Matthew Mulford,
David Hedges,	Hunting Miller,
David Fithian,	Abraham Gardiner,
William Hunting,	Jonathan Barns,
Samuel Mulford,	Elisha Conkling, Jr.

Jonathan Tuthill and Aaron Isaacs, Jr., were chosen constables.

Nathaniel Hand was chosen collector.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Nathaniel Hand, Jeremiah Osborn, Abraham Gardiner, Elisha Mulford, Jr., were chosen pound masters.

Elisha Mulford, Jr., Elisha Osborn, were chosen assessors.

N. B. The town clerk, supervisor and assessors were chosen commissioners of schools.

Elisha Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Osborn, Matthew Barns, were chosen commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Mulford, Jr., David Russel, Elisha Conkling, Jr., Jeremiah Miller, David Talmage 3d, Jonathan Schellenger, were chosen overseers of highways.

Recompence Sherill, Abraham Mulford, were chosen fence viewers.

Huntting Miller and Isaac Edwards were chosen Napeague pounders.

John Miller Jr., Nathaniel Baker Jr., Joseph Barns and Silas Hand were chosen beach pounders.

Josiah Mulford Jr., Ambros Parsons, William ulford Jr., Jacob Osborn, Nathaniel Baker Jr., Jediah Conkling were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Jeremiah Miller and Abraham Mulford were chosen overseers of the poor.

Voted that all the town laws and regulations which were in force the year past, shall be in force the year ensuing.

Voted that the law concerning cranberries, as passed in the year 1792, shall be in force the year ensuing.

Voted that the meadow grass between Amagansett lane and the foot of highland shall 'be hired out by way of public vendue, and was accordingly hired to Jonathan Barns for 35 shillings.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1797 by

Recorded by

ELISHA MULFORD, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks 53.—Capt. Jeremiah Osborne enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear, a slit in the right ear and a nick under the right ear. Recorded the 26th day of May, 1796, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Capt. Jeremiah Osborne enters for his son Henry the mark that belonged to his father-in-law, John Parsons the fourth, it being a crop on the right ear and an ell under the left. Recorded the 26th day of May, 1796, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Marks 52.—Nathaniel Baker Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny each side of the right ear and a slit in the same ear. Recorded the 26th day of May, 1796, by

ELISHA EULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 177. [Abstract.] To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I, John Gardiner, of Brookhaven, &c., farmer, for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and thirteen pounds current money of the State of New-York, by Gardiner Miller, of East-Hampton, farmer, have granted and sold unto the said Gardiner Miller and his heirs forever, a certain house, and lot of land in the town of East-Hampton, on the east side of the main street, containing two acres or thereabouts, more or less, bounded southwardly by John Davis' home lot, westwardly by the main street, and northwardly and eastwardly by the highways or the road that goes to Amagansett and to the beach. To have and to hold the said premises forever, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the twelfth day of July, 1796.

JOHN GARDINER. [L.S.]

In presence of
Elisha Miller,
Isaac Plato,
Thomas Filer.

Entered and examined by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Marks 53.—David Dayton enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a half penny the upperside of the right ear. Recorded the 30th day of November, 1796, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Jonathan Schellinger enters for his mark for cloth and etc., the letters J. X. S. Recorded the 22d day of December, 1796, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Isaac VanScoy Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear, an ell on the upperside of the same and a half penny each side of the left ear. Recorded the 10th day of January, 1797, by

ELISHA MULEORD JR., Town Clerk.

Marks 54.—Isaac B. Edwards enters for his ear mark an ell the upperside of the left ear and a half penny the upperside of the right ear. Recorded the 14th day of March, 1797, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Jonathan Edwards enters for his son Josiah Edwards' ear mark an ell the upperside of the left ear and a half penny each side of the right ear. Recorded the 14th day of March, 1797, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Book E, page 84½.—At an annual town meeting held in East Hampton on Tuesday the 4th day of April, 1797, the town officers for the year ensuing were chosen, and the votes or town laws were passed as follows:

Elisha Mulford, Jr. was chosen town clerk.

Trustees—Jonathan Dayton,	Edward Mulford,
Abraham Mulford,	John Huntting,
Jonathan Mulford, Jr.,	Merry Parsons,
Jonathan Conkling,	Abraham Barns,
Jeremiah Miller,	Isaac Edwards,
Benjamin Conkling,	Thomas Osborn.

Nathaniel Hand, Elisha Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Osborn, David Hedges and Elisha Osborn were chosen assessors.

The town clerk, supervisor and assessors were chosen commissioners of schools.

Jonathan Tuthil and Aaron Isaacs, Jr. were chosen constables.

Jonathan Tuthill was chosen collector.

David Talmage^{3d}, Jonathan Barns, overseers of highways.

Recompence Sherril and Abraham Mulford were chosen fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford, Jr., pound master.

Huntting Miller, Isaac Edwards, Napeague pounders.

Elisha Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Osborn, Matthew Barns, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Conkling, Jeremian Miller, David Russell, Elisha Conkling, Jr.

John Miller, Jr., Nathiel Baker, Joseph Barns, Silas Hand, beach pounders.

Josiah Mulford, Jr., Ambrose Parsons, Burnet Conkling, James Parsons, Abraham Osborn, sheep and swine pounders.

Jeremiah Miller, Abraham Mulford, overseers of the poor.

Voted that the commissioners of highways be authorised to place so many gates on the land of Baker leading from David Russel's across his bridge on condition that the owners of said land allow a pass road in the manner the said commissioners shall think proper.

Voted that one hundred pounds be raised for the support of the poor for the year ensuing.

Voted that the trustees shall have full power and authority in case application should be made to them by any poor person for assistance to remove from this town to some other part of the world, to advance so much money on the credit of the town as they shall think best for the removal of such persons so applying, provided said person so applying will give bonds to the said trustees to refund or pay with lawful interest the money advanced as aforesaid in case they after being so assisted shall return again and become an inhabitant of this town.

Voted that it shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing or running in the commons anywhere within the town bounds westward of Montauk within the term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, the owner or owners of all such swine paying two shillings for each swine so impounded.

Voted that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep in town commons, or suffer sheep to lay in the commons of this town at any time within the term of one whole year from the date abovesaid, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded the owner or owners of all such sheep paying six pence for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, they being provided with a sufficient shepherd approved by the trustees of this town.

Also agreed on by major vote that all neat cattle and horse kind that shall be found grazing or running at large on the beach on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the westward bounds of the town, at any time from the 6th day of May to the 12th day of September, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such creatures paying four shillings for each neat beast or horse kind so impounded.

Also agreed on by major vote that if any person or persons shall cut any trees or bushes in the commons or on the high

ways within eight feet of any person's fence, the fence running in the line, he, she or they so offending shall be liable to the penalty of three pence per tree or bush. to be recovered by and for the benefit of any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same before any court having cognizance thereof

Also agreed on by major vote that the fence viewers shall be sole judges of the sufficiency of fences within this town the year ensuing.

Also agreed on by major vote that if any horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine, shall be impounded agreeable to any of the above votes, at any time within one year from the date abovesaid, and the owner or owners doth not appear and pay the poundage in forty-eight hours after they are impounded, all such horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine may be sold at public vendue, and after the poundage and legal charges of sale are deducted, the overplus, if any, to be paid to the owner or owners, if to be found within one year after the sale, and if not the overplus money to go for the benefit of the poor of this town.

The proprietors of Montauk, on the day abovesaid, did agree that all horse kind that shall be found grazing on the land of Montauk, for time and term of one year from the date abovesaid, not having right or not being duly entered according to the orders of the trustees, are and shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses paying eight shillings for each horse kind so impounded. On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that it shall be lawful to impound all neat cattle that shall be found grazing on Montauk not having right or not being duly entered according to the orders of the trustees for the time of one year from the date abovesaid the owner or owners of all such cattle paying one dollar for each neat beast so impounded.

Also agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that it shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found grazing on Montauk without liberty from the Trustees for the time of one year from the date abovesaid, the owner or owners of all such swine paying three shillings for each swine so impounded, the Indians' swine only excepted, and they not exceeding the number which they are allowed to keep by agreement.

On the day abovesaid, it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that it shall be lawful to impound all sheep that shall be found grazing on Montauk for the time of one year from the date abovesaid, not having right or not being duly entered according to the orders of the trustees, the owner or owners of all such sheep paying two shillings for each sheep so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid that it shall be lawful to impound all horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine that shall be found grazing in the fattening field at Montauk not having right or not being duly entered, or not having liberty for them by the trustees abovesaid, the owner or owners of all such horse kind neat cattle, sheep or swine paying eight shillings for each horse kind, and eight shillings for each neat beast, and two shillings for each sheep, and three shillings for each swine, and two shillings for each calf so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid that it shall be lawful to impound all stone horses that shall be found on Montauk after the sixth day of May next, and from thence until our next annual town meeting day, being two years old, or having lived over two winters, the owner or owners of all such stallions paying eight shillings for each stallion so impounded, except they have liberty from the trustees.

Also agreed on the day abovesaid by major vote of the

proprietors abovesaid, that if any horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine shall be found grazing in the Indian field at Montauk after said field is shut up until the fattening cattle are put into it or afterward, the Indian creatures excepted, and they not exceeding the number allowed them by the agreement, they shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such creatures paying eight shillings for each horse kind, and eight shillings for each neat beast, and two shillings for each calf, and three shillings for each swine so impounded.

Also agreed on the day abovesaid by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid that it shall be lawful to pound all jackasses or mules that shall be found grazing on Montauk for the term of one year from the date abovesaid except they have liberty from the trustees, the owner or owners of all such jacks or mules paying eight shillings for each jack or mule so impounded.

On the day abovesaid it was agreed on by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid that if any horse kind, neat cattle, sheep or swine shall be impounded on Montauk in the term of one year from the date abovesaid, and the owner or owners do not appear and pay the poundage in forty-eight hours after they are impounded, all such creatures so impounded may be sold at public vendue, and after the poundage and charges of sales are paid the surplus if any to be paid to the owner or owners if to be found in one year after the sale, and if not to go for the support of the poor of this town.

Also agreed on the day abovesaid by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid that every proprietor of Montauk shall have full power and authority to pound all creatures trespassing on Montauk agreeable to any of the above written votes.

Also agreed on the day abovesaid by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid that the fence at the hither end of Montauk shall begin at common highwater mark at the south sea,

and run across to the north sea or sound, and be three feet and ten inches high from the south sea to the north sea or sound, and there to run into the water until the water is three feet deep at the end of said fence at common low water which shall be accounted a sufficient and lawful fence.

Also agreed on the day abovesaid by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that if any person or persons whatsoever, shall cut down or any way destroy or carry off the land of Montauk any wood, underwood, any kind of timber or fencing stuff within the term of one year from the date abovesaid, without liberty from the trustees by a certificate signed by their clerk, he, she or they so doing shall be liable to pay twelve shillings for every tree that is six inches over and upwards, and two shillings for every tree under six inches, to proprietors of Montauk, for damages.

Also agreed on the day abovesaid, by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid, that the trustees shall have the power of managing Montauk the year ensuing, as to fencing and pasturing all and every part thereof, &c., as they shall judge best for the proprietors and shall have full power and authority to ask, demand, sue for, recover and receive all debts due from any person or persons whatsoever, to the said proprietors of Montauk, and to prosecute for the trespass done on said land of Montauk.

Also agreed on the day abovesaid, by major vote of the proprietors abovesaid that the Trustees shall and may have power and authority, on the first Monday in January next, to agree with a suitable person to live at the hither end of Montauk to take an account of all horses, cattle and sheep that are put on or taken off of said land of Montauk, &c., for the time and term of one year from the said first Monday in January next, and also to agree with a suitable person, on the said first Monday in January next, to live at the fatting field at Montauk, to take care of said field, and to take an

account of all creatures that are put into or taken out of said field, &c., for the time and term of one whole year from the said first Monday in January next, and also on the said first Monday in January next, to agree with a suitable person to live at the fort pond at Montauk to keep and take care of the sheep &c., for the time and term of one whole year from the said first Monday in January next.

Voted that the meadow grass between Amagansett lane and the foot of highland be hired out at public vendue, and was accordingly hired to Jonathan Barns for three pounds and one shiling. Paid.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1798. Recorded by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Marks 54.—Stephen Parsons enters for his son Stephen's ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear, a half penny under the same ear and a slope the underside of the right ear. Recorded the 8th day of June, 1797, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Jonathan Edwards Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell on the upperside of the left ear and a half penny on the under side of each ear. Recorded the 4th day of July, 1797, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Thomas Edwards Jr., enters for his ear mark a slope on the upperside of the left ear and a half penny the underside of each ear. Recorded the 4th day of July 1797, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Marks 55.—Nathan Miller the third, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny above the same ear, and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded the 8th day of December, 1797, by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 164.—We, the subscribers do hereby certify that London, a negro slave of Josiah Dayton, of East Hampton, county of Suffolk and state of New York, appears to be under the age of fifty years, and of sufficient ability to provide a living for himself. Witness our hands,

ABRAHAM MULFORD,
JEREMIAH MILLER,

Overseers of the poor.

JONATHAN DAYTON,
NATHANIEL HAND,

Justices.

East Hampton, Jan. 29th, 1798.

I do hereby certify that I have registered the above certificate in the office of the clerk of the town of East Hampton, agreeable to an act of the Legislature of this state, entitled "an act concerning slaves," passed the 22d of Feb. 1788.

JOSIAH DAYTON.

The above is a true copy extracted from the original and recorded this 3d day of February, 1798, by

ELISHA MULFORD, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 55.—Josiah Edwards enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the left ear and a half penny under the same ear and a half penny the upper side of the right ear. Recorded the 3d day of February, 1798, by

ELISHA MULFORD, JR., Town Clerk.

Elisha Mulford, Jr. enters for his son Sylvanus, his ear mark, a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same ear, and a slit in the left ear. Entered the 2d day of April, 1798, by

ELISHA MULFORD, JR., Town Clerk.

Elisha Mulford Jr., enters for his son Elisha his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same ear and a slit in each ear. Entered the 2d day of April 1795 by
ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Book E, page 88½—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on Tuesday the third day of April 1798, the town officers for the year ensuing, were chosen and the votes or town laws were passed, as follows :

Elisha Mulford Jr., was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Jeremiah Osborn,	Abraham Miller,
Hunting Miller,	David Hedges,
Seth Barns,	David Fithian,
David Hedges,	David Talmage 3d
Nathaniel Baker,	Jonathan Schellinger Jr.,
Zephaniah Hedges,	Abraham Edwards.

Jonathan Dayton was chosen supervisor.

The town clerk, supervisor and assessors were chosen commissioners of schools.

Isaac Edwards, Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford, Jr., were chosen commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Schellinger, John Stratton, Jr., David Russel, David Talmage, 3d, Elisha Conkling, Jr., David Sherril were chosen overseers of highways.

Merry Parsons and Daniel Hedges were chosen fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford, Jr., pound master.

Jonathan Tuthill, Jared Hand and Aaron Isaac, Jr., were chosen constables.

Jonathan Tuthill was chosen collector.

Nathaniel Hand, Jeremiah Osborn, Miller Dayton, Elisha Osborn, Jonathan S. Conkling, were chosen assessors.

Hunting Miller and Isaac Edwards, Napeague pounders.

John Miller, Jr., Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Joseph Barns, Elisha Conkling, Jr., beach pounders.

Jonathan Tuthill, Jeremiah Osborn, overseers of the poor.

Josiah Mulford, Jr., Ambros Parsons, Burnet Conkling, David Parsons, Daniel Osborn, sheep and swine pounders.

Voted for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing, £100.

Voted that Jonathan Schellinger and Miller Dayton be inspectors of the road leading from David Dayton's to Sag Harbor.

Voted that all horses that are found grazing on the beach from the house that Benjamin Hedges lives in at the hither end of Montauk to the extent of the western bounds of this town, from the first day of January next, until the horses are allowed to go to Montauk shall be poundable.

Voted that the trustees be impowered to hire out the pews in the meeting house for one year.

Voted that the commissioners of highways be vested with power to lay out a highway from the Fireplace road to the Three Mile Harbor road.

Also voted that the commissioners of highways be vested with power to lay out a road through William Huntting's beach close.

Voted that the meadow grass from Amagansett lane to the foot of high land be hired out at public vendue for the year ensuing, to be mowed and not pastured, and it was hired to Jonathan Barns for £5, 5s, 6d.

Voted the meadow grass at Georgica beach by hired at public vendue, and it was hired to Daniel Hopping for £1.8.0

Voted that all the right and title of this town in a certain piece of meadow a little eastward of highland, be hired out to mow for one year, and it was hired to David Baker for £0-11s-0

Voted that the trustees be impowered to repair or rebuild the school house at Accabonac.

Also to pay Dr. Huntington his bill against Richard King and David Miller's daughters, if they think proper.

Voted that the trustees of this town be impowered to examine the claims of the people claiming commonage, and make a new record or all the commonage that is valid.

Voted that the town law shall be in force respecting clams as it was passed in the year 1792, except the prosecutor shall have the whole forfeiture.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1799. Recorded by

ELISHA MULFORD JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 55.—Jonathan Parsons enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear, a nick under the same ear, and a slope, under the left ear, he giving up the mark that was recorded to him in the year 1791. Recorded this 4th day of June, 1795, by

ELISHA MULFORD, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 56.—Ambrose Parsons enters for his ear mark a slope the under side of the left ear and a crop in the right ear, he giving up his father's mark which was recorded to him by mistake. Recorded the 22d day of Sept., 1797, by
ELISHA MULFORD, JR., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 185. (Abstract.) To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting, know ye that I, Thomas Baker, of East Hampton, &c., for and in consideration of the sum of thirty shillings in New York currency to me in hand paid by Stephen Topping, Jr., of Bridge Hampton, &c., have granted and sold unto the said Stephen Topping and his heirs forever, one acre of commonage running throughout the whole

of the commons of the township of East Hampton, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the twenty-fourth day of January, 1799.

THOMAS BAKER. [L.S.]

In presence of

Samuel Miller,

Thomas Carpenter, Jr.

Recorded the 8th day of February, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 186. (Abstract.) To all people to whom these presents shall come, greeting: know ye that I, Stephen Topping, Jr., of Southampton, &c., for and in consideration of fifteen shillings current money of New York, to me in hand paid by Simon Howell, of same town, have granted and sold unto said Howell and his heirs forever, one half acre of commonage running throughout the whole of the commons of the town ship of East Hampton, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the fourth day of February, 1799.

STEPHEN TOPPING, Jr.. [L.S.]

In presence of

Silvanus Topping,

Stephen Topping.

Recorded the 8th day of February, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 56.—Samuel Isaacs enters for his ear mark a slit in the right ear and a half penny the upperside of the same ear, said mark was given him by Huntting Miller, as certified by verbal declaration. Recorded the 20th day of February 1799, by

ELISHA MULFORD Town Clerk.

Matthew Barnes enters for his brand, for horses etc., the letter B on the right shoulder. Recorded the 20th day of February, 1799, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 90½.—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton the 2d day of April 1799, the town officers for the year ensuing were chosen as follows, and the following votes or town laws were passed by a majority, viz :

Abraham Miller Town Clerk.

Trustees—Jonathan Dayton	Elisha Mulford,
John Huntting,	Jonathan Mulford Jr.,
Jonathan Fithian,	Jonathan S. Conkling,
Samuel Parsons,	Abraham Barns,
David Dayton,	Isaac Edwards,
Samuel Mulford	Elisha Conkling Jr.

Jeremiah Osborn and Jonathan Tuthill overseers of the poor.

Abraham Miller supervisor.

Jonathan Tuthill, Aaron Isaacs and Jared Hand constables.

John Huntting and Merry Parsons fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford pound master.

Huntting Miller and Jonathan Schellinger Jr., Napeague pounders.

Josiah Mulford Jr., William Mulford Jr., Mulford Hand, Ambrose Parsons, William Conkling and John Osborn sheep and swine pounders.

Jonathan Tuthill collector.

Nathaniel Hand, Jonathan Dayton, David Hedges, Thomas Osborn and Elisha Mulford, assessors.

The Town Clerk, supervisor and assessors, commissioners of schools.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford and Isaac Edwards, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Schellinger, Abraham Edwards, David Russell, Elisha Miller, Daniel Hopping and Daniel Hedges, overseers of highways.

John Miller Jr., Nathaniel Baker Jr., Jonathan Mulford Jr., Samuel Isaacs and Elisha Conkling Jr., beach pounders.

Voted that the sum of one hundred and twenty pounds be raised for the support of the poor, the year ensuing.

Voted that the meadow grass, at Georgica beach, be hired out at public vendue, and it was hired to Joseph Dimon for £1-7-6.

Voted that the meadow grass from Amagansett lane to the foot of high land be hired out at public vendue, the year ensuing, to be mowed and not pastured, and it was hired to Elisha Mulford for £6-2-0. Received £3-1-0 of Capt. Osborn toward the above.

Voted that the Trustees be vested with full power and authority to settle a dispute with Abraham Baker about the bounds of a certain piece of meadow at Napeague.

Voted that Abraham Miller, Jonathan Dayton, Jonathan S. Conkling, Elisha Mulford, Jeremiah Osborn and Huntting Miller be authorized to examine the claims of all persons owning or claiming commonage in this township, and to adjust and settle the same and to make a new record of all the commonage that is valid.

Voted that the trustees of this town have full power to sell the sea weed that is may be cast on the shore at Sag Harbor from the boundary line between this town and Southampton to Joseph Conkling's water fence at their discretion, &c.

Voted that if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town shall be detected in taking eels in any of the creeks or ponds belonging to this town, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay five dollars for every such offence, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person who shall prosecute for the same, one half of said for-

feiture when recovered to go to use of the poor of this town, and the other half to the prosecutor.

Voted that no bull shall be allowed to carry a beast on Montank.

Voted that the trustees be authorized to repair the house that William Miller lives in as they shall think proper.

Voted that the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house for one year at public vendue.

Whereas John Gardiner, formerly of Gardiner's Island, gave a quantity of large timber for building the meeting house, and in consequence of his son Samuel Gardiner building the pews at the foot of the east gallery stairs, it was voted that John Lyon Gardiner and his heirs shall have the use of said pew, as has been customary since it was built, on condition that the said John Lyon Gardiner, or his heirs, shall pay for the use of said pew annually the average price of what the other pews in the meeting house shall hire for.

Voted that the commissioners of highways exchange a certain road with Eli Parsons.

Voted that the cattle may go to Montauk Friday, 5th inst.

Voted that the horses shall not be allowed to lay on Napeague or the beach or commons belonging to this town, in the winter, from the time the common stock are brought from Montauk in the fall of the year, until they are allowed to go on the next spring, and that all horses that shall be found running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches belonging to this town, or the town commons, on the time of the year above prohibited, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or all such horse kind so impounded paying four shillings for each horse kind so impounded.

Marks, 56.—Nathaniel Baker, Jr., enters for his ear mark, a slit in the left ear, which he bought of Mulford Osborne. Entered the 22d of April, 1799, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 178.—Whereas there has been some dispute between the towns of Southampton and East Hampton concerning the dividing line or bounds between the two towns at Sag Harbor. We the underwritten subscribers being appointed and authorized by each town to adjust the bounds, viz: Capt. William Pierson, Mr. Henry Corwithie, Capt. David Rose and Major James White, in behalf of Southampton, and Capt. Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan Dayton, Esq., Mr. Elisha Mulford and Mr. Jonathan S. Conklin, for and in behalf of East Hampton, do mutually agree that a certain stone lying near against Capt. Joseph Conkling's house, and bearing from said stone which is placed on the line to the centre of the said Conkling's front door, a course N. 55° E. to be the dividing line or bounds forever, and running a course from said stone northward N. 23° W. to the water, as the stones are now placed, and to the southward from said stone to a certain white oak tree which is lopped in the line a course S. 23° , $30'$ E, which line we do mutually agree to be the established bounds or dividing line at Sag Harbor forever, between the two towns abovesaid.

In witness whereof we do hereunto affix our names this third day of September, 1799.

JAMES WHITE,	JON. S. CONKLING,
DAVID ROSE,	ELISHA MULFORD,
WILLIAM PIERSON,	JONA. DAYTON,
HENRY CORWITHE,	JEREMIAH OSBORN.

The above is a true copy of the original agreement, signed by the above mentioned commissioners, and delivered to be recorded. Attest,

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 1.—At an annual town meeting held in East Hampton the 2d day of April, 1800, the town officers for the

year ensuing were chosen as follows, and the following votes or town laws were passed by major vote:

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Trustees—Abraham Miller,	Jeremiah Osborn,
Huntting Miller,	Seth Barns,
Elisha Miller,	Abraham Sherrill, Jr.
Benjamin Miller,	Edward Mulford,
David Hedges,	Nathaniel Baker,
Thomas Osborn,	David Hedges.

Jeremiah Osborn and Jonathan Tuthill, overseers of the poor.

Abraham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Jonathan Tuthill was chosen collector.

Jonathan Dayton, David Hedges, Elisha Mulford, Nathaniel Hand and Thomas Osborn chosen assessors.

The town clerk, supervisor and assessors chosen commissioners of schools.

Jeremiah Osborn, Elisha Mulford and Isaac Conkling chosen commissioners of highways.

Isaac Hedges, Samuel Mulford, David Russell, Eli Parsons, Jonathan Parsons, Elisha Osborn and Huntting Miller, overseers of highways.

Jacob Osborn, Asahel Miller, William Read, Abraham Payne and Isaac Payne were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Joseph Barnes, Jona. S. Conkling, Jacob Hopping and Isaac Barnes, beach pounders.

Aaron Isaacs, Jonathan Tuthill and Jared Hand were chosen constables.

Jonathan S. Conkling and Miller Dayton were chosen fence viewers.

Elisha Mulford, pound master.

Henry Conkling, Jr., Josiah Mulford, Jr., Jona. Barns, Jr., were chosen Napeague pounders.

Voted 1st. That Miller Dayton and Jonathan Schellinger

be inspectors of the road leading from David Dayton's to Sag Harbor.

2d. That the sum of three hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

3d. That the meadow grass at Georgica be hired out by the trustees at public vendue.

4th. That all the meadow grass from Amagansett lane to the foot of highland, be hired at public vendue, the year ensuing, to be mowed and not pastured, and it was hired to Huntting Miller for £4, 6s. And also a certain piece of meadow a little eastward of highland was hired to Jonathan Barns, Jr., for £0, 6, 0.

5th. That the committee who were last year chosen and authorized to examine the claims of all persons claiming commonage in this township, and to adjust, settle and make a new record of the same, be continued the year ensuing.

6th. That the trustees may sell the sea weed that is or may be on the highway or common land belonging to this town, at Sag-Harbor, the year ensuing, at public vendue, or otherwise as they shall think proper.

7th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town shall be detected in catching eels in any of the creeks or ponds in the bounds of this town, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay five dollars for every such offence, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

8th. That the trustees shall advertise and hire out the pews in the meeting house, and the parsonage land, for one year, by way of public vendue.

9th. That horses shall not be allowed to lay on Napeague or the beaches or commons belonging to this town, in the winter from the time that the common stock are brought from Montauk in the fall of the year, until they are allowed to go on Montauk the next spring: and all horse kind that shall be found running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches or the commons belonging to this town, in the time of year above prohibited, shall be liable to be pounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind so impounded to pay four shillings for each horse kind so impounded.

10th. That if any person or persons shall cut or any other way destroy any of the trees or bushes on any part of the highway that goes by the house of Abraham Sherrill Jr., and the Springs to the Fire Place, or on the old Accaboneck Road, or on any part of the line highway, or on a certain piece of common land at the great hill on Hand's Creek road, or on a certain piece of common land opposite the house of Cornelius Osborn, or on a certain piece of common land between the middle highway and Three Mile Harbor highway, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of two shillings for every tree or bush so cut or destroyed on any of the above mentioned highways or common land, to be recovered, with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect the one half of all which forfeitures when recovered to be for the support of the poor of this town and the other half for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same.

11th. That the commissioners of highways may lay out a passing road through the land of David Russell, the heirs of Stephen Baker and William I. Rysam, if they shall think proper.

12th. That the trustees shall hire out all the cranberry

ground belonging to the town commons at public vendue until the first day of November next.

Marks 56.—Stephen Parsons enters the following ear mark for his son Darius, viz: a hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny on the underside of the same ear. Entered the 3d day of May, 1800, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 57.—Stephen Parsons enters the following ear mark for his son Anson, viz. a hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny under the same ear, and a slope on the underside of the left ear. Recorded the 7th day of June 1800, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 3—At an annual town meeting held in and for the town of East-Hampton on Tuesday the 7th day of April 1801, the town officers were chosen by major vote as follows, and the following votes or town laws were passed by major vote.

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Trustees—Jonathan Dayton,	Elisha Mulford,
Jeremiah Miller, Jr.,	Jonathan S. Conkling,
Jonathan Fithian,	Abraham Edwards,
David Baker,	Samuel Mulford,
Elisha Conkling, Jr.	Ambrose Parsons,
Joseph Barns,	Josiah Dayton.

Jeremiah Osborn and Jonathan Tuthill, overseers of poor.

Jonathan Dayton was chosen supervisor.

Jonathan Tuthill, Aaron Isaacs, Jared Hand, constables.

Jonathan Dayton, Elisha Mulford, Nathaniel Hand, Thomas Osborn were chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn Jonathan S. Conkling, Samuel Mulford chosen commissioners of highways,

Edward Mulford, Mulford Hand, Jeremiah Bennett, Jr., Elihu Edwards, William Campbell, Zepheniah Hedges, Abraham Osborn, chosen overseers of highways.

John Parsons, Abraham Huntting, chosen fence viewers.

Jonathan Tuthill was chosen collector.

Henry Conkling, Jr., Josiah Mulford, Jr., Bennett Conkling chosen Napeague pounders.

Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Abraham Gardiner, Isaac Wickham, Elisha Conkling, Jr., Jonathan Edwards, Jr., chosen beach pounders.

William Parsons chosen pound master.

Jacob Osborn, Asahel Miller, Samuel Bennet, Burnet Conkling, Elisha fithian, chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Clam law penalty one dollar per bushel and in that proportion for a larger or smaller quantity to be recovered from any person not a inhabitant of this town as in the year 1792.

Voted. That the trustees be authorized to hire out the parsonage at their discretion, for not less than than one year, nor more than six years.

Voted that the pound be moved from where it now stands to the green near Abraham Sherrill's mill at the expense of this town.

Whereas much disturbance hath heretofore been made during divine service on the Lord's day, therefore voted that proper persons be appointed to prevent such disturbance. David Talmage 3d, Abraham Huntting, Gardiner Miller and Isaac Hedges were chosen.

Voted. That the meadow grass from Indian mill to the foot of highland, be hired out for mowing, the mowing to be paid next town meeting day, and hired to Huntting Miller for £8-10-6. Paid.

Voted. That all the common meadow to the eastward of the above mentioned meadow be hired out and it was hired to Isaac Barns for £0-17-14.

Voted. That the meadow grass on Georgica flat which belongs to the town commons and the beach grass from Jacob Osborns line to Georgica gut to be mowed once and no more, and it was hired to Samuel Isaacs for £0-10-0.

Whereas Dr. Nathaniel Gardiner hath frequently attended sundry poor persons in their sickness and in accidents, that were not able to pay him for his services.

Voted. That this business be referred to the trustees and and that they be authorized to allow him such sum as appears to them just.

Voted. That if any person or persons, not an inhabitant of this town, or any Indian or Indians not of the Montauk Tribe shall be detected in picking cranberries or baberries on Napeague beach or any of the common lands in this town, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay for every offence the sum of five dollars and one dollar for every bushel, to be recovered with cost of suit before any court having cognizance there of the one half of said forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid into the hands of the overseers of the poor for the support of the poor of this town, the other half to the person who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

Voted That the law respecting eels shall be force as it stands for the year past.

Voted that horses shall not be allowed to lay on Napeague or the beach or commons belonging to this town in the winter from the time that the common stock are brought from Montauk in the fall of the year until they are allowed to go on the next spring and that all horses that shall be found running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches belonging to this town or the town commons on the time of the year above prohibited shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horse kind so impounded paying four shillings for each horse so impounded.

Voted That flocks of sheep that are under the care of a

shepherd may run in the town commons until the 20th of April.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1802. Recorded by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Marks 57.—Jonathan Schellinger, Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of the left ear, and a slope the under side of the same ear. Recorded May 1, 1801.
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Henry Schellenger enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of the right ear and a nick on the under side of the left ear. This mark was given him by Jonathan Schellenger, Jr. Recorded May 1st, 1801, by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

David VanScoy enters for his son Abraham his ear mark a half penny each side of the left ear and a half penny under the right ear. Recorded the 27th day of November, 1801, by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Nathan Osborne enters for his ear mark a slope the upper side of the left ear and a half penny the under side of the right ear and a slit in the right ear. Said mark he bought of the widow of Jonathan Miller, deceased. Recorded the 26th day of February, 1802, by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 58.—Abraham Bennett enters for his ear mark a half penny each side the right ear and a crop on the left ear. Recorded the 26th day of Feb., 1802, by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Capt. Jonathan Barnes enters for his son Talmage Barnes,

his ear mark an ell the upper side of the right ear and a half penny under the same ear, and a nick under the left ear. Recorded the 26th day of February, 1802, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 164.—This may certify that a female child was born on the first day of March, 1801, named Zilpha, the mother of said child I hold as a slave.

East Hampton, June 20th, 1801.

SETH. BARNES.

The above is a true copy of the original certificate, recorded the 26th day of February, 1802.

Marks 56.—Benjamin Miller, jr., enters for his ear mark, an ell on the upperside of the left ear and a half penny under each ear. Said mark he bought of Jonathan Edwards, Jr., as appears by the verbal declaration of the said Jonathan Edwards Jr. Recorded the 22d day of March, 1802, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Edwards, Jr., enters for his ear mark a slope on the upperside of the left ear and a half penny under each ear. Said mark is given up to him by his brother Thomas Edwards as appears by the testimony of Benjamin Miller Jr. Recorded the 22d day of March 1802, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Nathan Miller the 3d, enters for his ear mark an ell on the upperside of the left ear and a half penny the underside the left ear, and a half penny each side the right ear. Recorded the 22d day of March 1802, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 5.—At an annual town meeting held in East-

Hampton on Tuesday, the 6th of April, 1802, the town officers for the year ensuing were chosen and the votes or town laws were passed, as follows:

Elisha Mulford was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Jeremiah Osborne,	Merry Parsons,
Abraham Barns,	Abraham Miller,
Edward Mulford,	Barns Edwards,
Hunting Miller,	Jonathan Schellinger Jr.,
Henry Chatfield,	John Edwards,
David Hedges,	Zepheniah Hedges.

Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan Tuthill, overseers of the poor.

Jonathan Dayton chosen supervisor.

Jonathan Stratton, Aaron Isaacs, Jonathan Barns Jr., Jared Hand, chosen constables.

Jonathan Tuthill chosen collector, to pay £1-5-0.

Samuel Mulford, Elisha Mulford, Jeremiah Osborn, Thomas Osborn, Jonathan S. Conklin, chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan S. Conklin, Samuel Mulford, chosen commissioners of highways.

Joseph Barns, David Baker, Jeremiah Bennet, David Tarbel, David Talmage 3d, Nathan Osborn, Samuel Miller, Jonathan Schellinger, chosen overseers of highways.

Hunting Miller, Abraham Sherrill, Samuel Mulford, Jacob Schellinger, Jonathan Mulford, Isaac VanScoy Jr., William Campbell, David Talmage 3d, John Stratton Jr., Bethuel Edwards, James Hand, John P. Osborn, chosen fence viewers

William Parsons chosen pound master.

Mulford Hand, Isaac Barns, Josiah Mulford Jr., Elisha Fithian, chosen Napeague pounders.

Joseph Barns, Nathaniel Baker, Jr., David Edwards, Jr. Jeremiah Miller, Jr., Talmage Strong, Seth Barns, Silas Hand, chosen beach pounders.

Jacob Osborn, John P. Osborn, William Mulford Jr., Elisha

Fithian, Samuel Bennet, Philetus Osborn, Abraham Schellinger Jr., Isaac Payne, chosen sheep and swine pounders.

1st. Voted that the sum of 300 dollars be raised for the support of the poor for the year ensuing.

2d. Voted that the trustees have the management of the parsonage from April 1802 to April 1803.

3d. Voted that the duty of tything men shall be to complain of misbehavior at public worship, to a civil magistrate. Nathaniel Dominy, John Stratton Jr., Wiljam King and Jesper Dayton were chosen.

4th. Voted that the meadow grass be hired at public auction and from Indian well to the foot of highland. It was hired to Matthew Barns for £5-12-0, and one piece of meadow eastward of the above hired to David Conklin for £0-12-6. Georgica beach hired to Jacob Hopping for £0-12-6.

5th. Voted that the trustees be authorized to hire out the pews in the meeting house for the year ensuing.

6th. Voted that the law respecting eels to stand as it has done for years past.

7th. Voted that the commissioners of highways shall determine when the owners of Napeague meadows shall make their fence.

8th. Voted that the trustees be a committee to transact the business respecting the salary of the minister of the gospel.

9th. Voted that the commissioners of highways pay attention to Napeague beach where the tide breaks through.

10th. Voted that the land belonging to David Stratton, near the end of Hook Pond, and is open to the beach, shall be under the same regulations as it respects cattle that are found grazing on it as the cattle are that are found grazing on the south beach.

11th. Voted that owners of sheep may let them run on the commons from this day to the 20th of this month, they

paying all damage that individuals may sustain, whether under the direction of a shepherd or not.

12th. Voted that at the request of William I. Rysam, from a committee appointed by a meeting of the inhabitants of Sag Harbor, for the purpose of conferring with the inhabitants of this town for obtaining the privilege of building a wharf at Sag Harbor in the bounds of this town. Therefore voted that the trustees be authorised to appoint a committee of not less than five nor more than eleven persons, and to be vested with full power and authority to examine into the situation of the land and water necessary for the accommodation of said wharf, and make such regulations and grants as they think proper, to be given under their hands and seals.

13th. Voted that Joseph Dimon be principal chorister and David Talmage, 3d, David Sherrill, David Hedges, Jr., and Isaac Dimon, Jr. be assistant choristers.

14th. Voted that Miller Dayton be appointed to meet a delegation from the different towns in this county to meet at Riverhead for the purpose of making arrangements for the ensuing election.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1803.

Recorded by ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 59.—Jonathan Barnes enter for his son David Barnes his ear mark, an ell the upper side of the right ear and a nick under the left ear. Recorded the 7th day of April, 1802, by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Barnes enters for his ear mark an ell under the left ear and an ell the upper side of the right ear. This mark was recorded to Daniel Hand, A. D. 1762. Said Jonathan Barnes doth engage to give up to the lawful heirs or assigns Daniel Hand, deceased, the said mark if called for. Recorded the 7th day of April, 1802, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Mulford Hand enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear and a slope the upper side of the left ear. The said Mulford Hand doth relinquish the mark recorded to him, A. D. 1781. The mark he now enters he says he bought of Nathan Hand. Recorded this 30th day of April, 1802, by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Jacob Osborn enters for his ear mark a slit in the left ear, and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded this 21st day of September, 1802.

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Caleb Hedges of Bridge Hampton enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the left ear and a slit in the left ear. Recorded this 21st day of January, 1803, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 60.—Jesse Dayton enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the end of each ear. By information from him it appears that he hath bought said mark of the widow of David Leek, deceased. Recorded the 18th day of February, 1803, by
ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 163.—This may certify that a male child was born on the 6th day of July, 1802, named Cyrus, the mother of said child I hold as a slave.

JEREMIAH MILLER.

East Hampton, Feb. 24th, 1803.

The above is a true copy of the original certificate, recorded this 24th day of February, 1803, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Marks, 60.—Deacon David Hedges of Bridge Hampton en-

ters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear, it being the mark that was recorded to his father Daniel Hedges. Recorded this 4th day of April, 1803, by

ELISHA MULFORD, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 7.—At an annual town meeting held in East Hampton the 5th day of April, 1803, the town officers were chosen as follows, and the votes or town laws were passed by major vote as followeth, viz :

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Trustees—Elisha Mulford,	William Huntting,
Benjamin Miller,	Jonathan Fithian,
Joseph Barns,	Jonathan Mulford, Jr.,
Daniel Hedges,	Jonathan Dayton,
Samuel Mulford,	Isaac Barns,
Thomas Osborn,	Jeremiah Miller, Jr.

Assessors—Elisha Mulford, Jeremiah Osborn, Samuel Mulford, Thomas Osborn and Benjamin Miller.

Commissioners of highways—Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan S. Conkling, Samuel Mulford.

Overseers of the poor—Jeremiah Osborn and Jonathan Tuthill.

Supervisor—Abraham Miller.

Constables—Aaron Isaacs, Gardiner Miller, Jonathan Burns, Jr. and Jared Hand.

Collector—Jonathan Tuthill, to pay four dollars.

Pound master—William Parsons.

Napeague pounders—Mulford Hand, David Baker, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Miller, Jr.

Beach pounders—Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Seth Barns, Jeremiah Miller, Jr., Elisha Osborn, David Edwards.

Overseers of the highways—Samuel Miller, Thomas Edwards, Ebenezer Hedges, John Russell, Elisha Osborn, Jeremiah Huntting and John Edwards.

Fence viewers—Hunting Miller, Samuel Mulford, Joseph Barns, David VanScoy, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., John Parsons, Elisha Conkling, Bethuel Edwards, Eli Parsons, Thomas Edwards, John Edwards and Elisha Miller.

Sheep and swine pounders—John P. Osborn, Jeremiah Miller, Jr., Samuel Conkling, Jr., Elisha Fithian, Edward Mulford, Samuel Bennet.

Tything men—Jasper Dayton, Gardiner Miller, Abraham Sherrill, Abraham Hunting, David Dayton.

Voted 1st. That the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

2d. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house for one year and appropriate the money towards paying Mr. Beecher's salary.

3d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep on the commons or suffer their sheep to lay in the commons of this town after the 20th day of this month until our next annual town meeting day. All such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such sheep paying six pence for each sheep so impounded.

4th. That it shall be lawful to impound all swine that shall be found running at large in the commons of this town westward of Montauk, the owner or owners of all such swine paying five shillings for each swine so impounded.

5th. That it shall be duty of the tithing men to complain of misbehavior in public worship to a civil magistrate.

6th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out, the year ensuing, at public vendue, to be mowed and not pastured, and hired it to Jeremiah Conkling for £5-0-0. And also certain piece of meadow a little eastward of highland to Jeremiah Miller, Jr., for £0-16-0. And also Georgica beach to Jacob Osborn for £0-9-6.

7th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town or not having right in the commons of this town shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, creeks or ponds within the bounds of this town he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the benefit of the poor of this town, and the other half to the persons or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

8th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town, or not having right in the commons of this town shall catch any clams in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds, or shall take on board of any vessel, boat or craft any clams taken out of any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds within this town, every person so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars and the further sum of one dollar per bushel for all the clams caught or taken on board, as aforesaid, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the use of the poor of this town and the other half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

9th. That the land belonging to David Stratton, near the southwest end of hook pond that is now open to the beach shall be under the same regulations with respect to pounding creatures found thereon as creatures are poundable on the south beach.

10th. That no stallion that is two years old or upwards, or that has lived over two winters shall be allowed to go in the

commons of this town and that all such stallions that shall be found grazing or running at large on the commons of this town shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such stallions so impounded to pay one dollar for each stallion so impounded.

11th. That the trustees shall have full power and authority to exchange all or any part of the parsonage woodland with Mr. Isaac VanScoy if they shall think proper, and that it will be advantageous to the town, and also to superintend cutting and carting wood for Mr. Beecher.

Marks, 60.—Abraham Bennett enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear, and a half penny each side of the right ear, and renounces the mark recorded to him the 26th day of February, 1802. Recorded the 25th day of April, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Sherrill enters for his ear mark two half pennies the under side of the right ear and one half penny the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 5th day of May, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Stephen Baker enters for his ear mark two half pennies the under side of the left ear and one half the upper side the right ear. Recorded the 5th day of May, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 61.—Isaac Wickham enters for his ear mark a slit in the end of the right ear, which mark belonged to his father Thomas Wickham, Esq., deceased. Recorded the 13th day of June, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Elnathan Parsons enters for his son Elnathan's ear mark a hollow crop on the left ear and a half penny under the same ear, which he says he purchased of his brother Stephen Parsons. Entered the 9th day of August, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Elnathan Parsons enters the following ear mark for his son Solon, viz: a hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear, which he says he bought of his brother Stephen Parsons. Entered the 9th day of August, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Elnathan Parsons enters the following ear mark for his son William Davis, viz: a crop on the left ear and a half penny the under side of the left ear and a slope the under side of the right ear, which he says he purchased of his brother Stephen Parsons. Recorded the 9th day of August, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Elnathan Parsons enters the following ear mark for his son Charles, viz: a crop on the right ear and a half penny the under side of the right and a slope the under side of the left ear, which he also says he purchased of his brother Stephen Parsons. Entered the 9th day of August, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Elnathan Parsons enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and slope the under side of the right ear, which was his father John Parson's mark. Recorded the 9th day of August, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 62.—Abraham Sherrill enters for his ear mark a

hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 10th day of August, 1803, by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 164.—I, Seth Barns, of the town of East Hampton, in the county of Suffolk, and state of New York, yeoman, do hereby certify that Sabra, a female child, daughter of Dinah, a slave to me, was born on the twelfth day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and three.

SETH BARNs.

I certify the above last mentioned certificate to be a true copy of the original, signed by Seth Barns.

ABRAM. MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 62.—Jonathan Edwards enters the following ear mark for his son Hezekiah Edwards, viz: an ell the upper side of the left ear and a hollow crop on the right ear. Recorded the 14th day of October, 1803, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Henry Conklin, Jr. enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a slit in the same and a half penny the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 21st day of February, 1804 by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 9.—At an annual town meeting at the meeting in East Hampton, on Tuesday the 3d day of April, 1804, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws were passed by major vote as followeth:

Abraham Miller was chosen town clerk.

Trustees—Abraham Miller,	Jeremiah Osborn,
Eli Parsons,	Hunting Miller,
Henry Chatfield,	David Hedges,

Thomas Edwards,	Jona. Schellinger, Jr.
Elisha Conkling,	Edward Mulford,
Merry Parsons,	Elnathan Parsons.

Jonathan Tuthill was chosen collector.

Samuel Mulford, Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan S. Conkling, Elisha Conkling and David Talmage, 3d, chosen assessors.

Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan S. Conklin, Samuel Mulford, chosen commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Osborn and Jonathan Tuthill were chosen overseers of the poor.

Abrrham Miller was chosen supervisor.

Gardiner Miller, Mulford Hand, Samuel Miller and Jared Hand were chosen constables.

Joseph Barns, Joseph Miller, James Hand, Zeph Hedges, William Campbell, Isaac Conkling and Jonathan Mulford, J., chosen fence viewers.

Mulford Hand, Jonathan Barns, Jr., Jeremiah Miller and Josiah Mulford Jr., chosen Napeague pounders.

Jasper Dayton, Gardiner Miller, Abraham Sherrill, Abraham Huntting and David Dayton were chosen tithing men.

Jasper Dayton, Abraham Osborn Jr., Jonathan Schellinger, David Miller, James Terry, Bethuel Edwards and John Russell were chosen overseers of highways.

Huntting Miller, John Parsons, Samuel Mulford, William Parsons and David Talmage 3d, chosen pound masters.

Nathaniel Baker Jr., Joseph Barns, Jacob H. Osborn, Elisha Conkling and Nathan Osborn were chosen beach pounders.

Jonathan Tuthill, Elisha Fithian, Septimus Osborn, John Chatfield, Samuel Bennet, Lester Bennet and Jededia Conkling were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Voaed 1st. That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

2d. That the overseers shall procure all the fire wood for the poor's use, by the cord.

3d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep on the commons, or suffer their sheep to lay in the commons of this town after the twentieth day of this month until our next annual town meeting day, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded.

4th. That it shall be lawful to pound all swine that shall be found running at large in the commons of this town westward of Montauk, the owner or owners of such swine to pay five shillings for each swine so impounded.

5th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out the year ensuing at vendue, to be mowed and not pastured and hired it to Jonathan Barns Jr., for £3-14-0. And also a small piece a little to the eastward of highland to Jonathan Barns Jr., for &0-3-0. And also Georgica beach to Capt. Jere Osborn for £0.13-0.

6th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this, or not having right in the commons of this town, shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any courts having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same. The one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be for the use of the poor of this town, and the other half for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect.

7th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town, or not having right in the commons of this town, shall catch any clams in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town or shall take on board of any vessel, boat or craft any clams that have been taken out of any of

the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, every person so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars, and the further sum of one dollar per bushel unless such person or persons do prove that they purchased them of some inhabitant or freeholder of town to be recovered, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same. The one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town, and the other half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect.

8th. That the land belonging to the heirs of David Stratton, deceased, near the southwest end of hook pond, that is now open to the beach, shall be under the same regulations with respect to pounding creatures found thereon as creatures that are poundable on the south beach.

9th. That no stallion that is two years old or upwards or that has lived over two winters shall be allowed to lay in the commons of this town, and that all such stallions that shall be found running at large on the commons of this town shall be liable to be pounded, the owner or owners of all such stallions to pay one dollar for each stallion so impounded.

10th. That whereas it is thought to be advantageous to the inhabitants of this town to have a canal cut through the foot of the beach adjoining Russell's neck, known by the name of Stratton beach, and whereas John Mulford, now owner of the meadow at the foot of said beach, is willing a canal should be cut through it on consideration that the town will give him all the sedge and meadow grass that shall make out from said beach in consequence of said canal being cut.—Therefore voted that John Mulford shall be entitled to all the meadow grass and sedge that shall hereafter grow or make out from said beach in consequence of said canal being cut.

11th. That whereas Daniel Fordham and others have for a number of years occupied a part of the common land belonging to this town at Sag-Harbor, without paying any compensation for the same. Therefore voted that the trustees be and are hereby authorized and impowered to lease the said lands unto the said Daniel Fordham and every other person that occupies any common land belonging to this town for such term of time and in such manner as the said trustees shall judge best.

12th. That the inhabitants living at or near the Springs in this town shall have liberty to make a pound at the said place called the Springs or to establish any yard joining the highway at said place to answer for a public pound.

Marks 62.—Gardiner Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear, a half penny the upperside of the left ear and a slit in the left ear, and a half penny the underside of the right ear. Recorded the 9th day of May 1804, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Isaac VanScoy Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny on the underside of each ear and an ell on the upperside of the right ear. Bought of Captain Jeremiah Osborne. Recorded the 2d day of July, 1804, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

63.—Jacob Hopping enters for his ear mark an ell on the upperside of each ear and a half penny on the underside of the right ear, which was given to him by his father, Benjamin Hopping. Recorded the 4th day of December, 1804, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and an ell on the upperside of the left ear, which mark he

says he bought of Samuel Mulford. Recorded the 26th day of January 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East-Hampton on Tuesday, the 2d day of April, A. D., 1805, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws were passed by major vote, as followeth, viz :

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Jonathan Dayton,	Daniel Hedges,
Samuel Miller,	Joseph Barns,
Abraham Barns,	Jeremiah Huntting,
William Mulford,	Samuel Mulford,
Nathaniel Baker,	Jonathan Mulford Jr.,
Abraham Edwards,	Zephaniah Hedges.

Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan Tuthill, overseers of the poor.

Abraham Miller, supervisor.

Jonathan H. Stratton, Aaron Isaacs, David Talmage 3d, Jeremiah Conkling, Zephaniah Hedges, David VanScoy and Elihu Edwards, overseers of highways.

John Parsons, Samuel Parsons, Samuel Mulford, Ezekiel Payne, Joseph Miller, Timothy Miller, Isaac Conkling, Jeremiah Miller, Henry Chatfield, Bethuel Edwards, James Hand, fence viewers.

Gardiner Miller, Samuel Miller, Isaac Barns, Jared Hand, constables.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Samuel Mulford, Jeremiah Osborn, Jeremiah Huntting, Elisha Conkling, assessors.

Jonathan Tuthill, collector, to pay £40-6

Samuel Mulford, Miller Dayton, Jeremiah Osborn, commissioners of highways.

William Parsons, David Talmage 3d, pound masters.

Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Jacob H. Osborn, Nathan Osborn, Jacob Hopping, Joseph Barns, beach pounders.

David Edwards, Jacob H. Osborn, Elisha Fithian, Hedges Parsons, Abraham Leek, Abraham Schellinger, Jr., sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the overseers of the poor shall procure all the fire wood for the poor's use, by the cord.

3d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep on the commons or suffer their sheep to lay in the commons of this town from the date hereof, until our next annual town meeting day, all such sheep shall be liable to impound, the owner or owners to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded.

4th. That it shall be lawful to pound all swine that shall be lawful to pound all swine that shall be found running at large in the commons of this town westward of Montauk, the owner or owners of all such swine to pay five shillings for each swine so impounded.

5th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for the year ensuing, to be mowed and not pastured and hired it to Jonathan Barns Jr., for £5-14-0. And also a small piece a little to the eastward of highland to Jonathan Barns, Jr., for £0-9-0. And also Georgica beach to Capt. Jeremiah Osborn for £1-5-0.

6th. That if any person or person not inhabitants of this town or not having right in the commons of this town, shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for every such offence, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, to effect, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered,

to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the use of the poor of this town, and the other half for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

7th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town or not having right in the commons of this town shall catch any clams in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, or shall take on board of any vessel, boat or craft any clams that have been taken out of any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, every person so offending, shall, for every such offence, forfeit any pay the sum of five dollars and the further sum of one dollar per bushel for all clams caught or taken on board, as aforesaid, unless such person or persons shall prove that they purchased them of some inhabitant or freeholder of this town, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the use of the poor of this town and the other half for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

8th. That whereas Daniel Fordham and others have for sometime occupied a part of the common land or highway belonging to this town without paying any compensation for it, therefore voted that the trustees of this town be and are hereby authorized and empowered to lease unto the said Daniel Fordham and every other person that occupies any common land belonging to this term and in such manner as the said trustees shall think proper.

9th. That the trustees hire out pews in the meeting house for one year by way of vendue and appropriate the avails thereof towards the payment of Mr. Beecher's salary.

10th. That the trustees of this town be and they are hereby authorized empowered to sell the house at Wainscott belonging to this town, lately occupied by William Miller, de-

ceased, and to give a deed for the same, if they shall think proper.

11th. That it shall not be lawful to dig up and carry away the turf or ground in the town street, and if any person or persons shall dig up the turf or ground in the street, as aforesaid, such person or persons shall forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for every such offence, unless they previously obtain liberty of one of the commissioners of highways, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, one moiety thereof for the use of the poor of this town, and the other moiety for the prosecutor.

12th. That the front seats in the lower gallery in the meeting house shall belong to the singers and those persons that do not sing at meeting shall move out of said seats and make room for those who do sing.

13th. That no person or persons not inhabitants of this town shall get and carry any sea weed from the beaches or common land belonging to this town without liberty from the trustees. under penalty of one dollar per load, to be sued for, recovered and appropriated by the trustees of this town in such manner as they shall think proper.

14th. That if any person or persons shall rake, pick, or in any other way gather any cranberries on any of the land or meadows belonging to this town at any time before the twentieth day of September next, at sunrise, every person so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of one dollar per bushel for every such offence, and in the same proportion for a greater or lesser quantity, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of said poor, and the other

half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

15th. That horses shall not be allowed to lay on Napeague or any of the beaches belonging to this town, in the winter, from the time that the common stock are brought from Montauk in the fall of the year, until they are allowed to go on to Montauk the next spring, and that all horse kind that shall be found running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches belonging to this town, in the time of year above mentioned, shall be liable to be pounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse kind so impounded.

Marks, 63.—Isaac VanScoy, Jr., enters the following ear mark for his son Arnold, viz : a slope the under side of the right ear and a half penny on each side of the left ear. Recorded the 8th day of May, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Dering Ranger enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 30th day of May, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Terry enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the left ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 30th day of May, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

James Terry enters for his ear mark an ell the under side of the right ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear. Recorded the 30th day of May, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 64.—Eli Parsons enters for his ear mark a half penny the under side of each ear, which mark was given him by his father, Samuel Parsons, deceased. Recorded the 30th day of May, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Eli Parsons enters the following ear mark for his son, Eli Parsons, Jr., viz: a half penny the upperside of each ear and a half penny the underside of the right ear, which he says he bought of Deacon Jeremiah Hedges. Recorded the 30th day of May, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Mulford enters for his ear mark an ell the upper-side of the left ear, which mark was given him by his father. Recorded the 19th day of June, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Mulford enters the following ear mark for his son, Thomas Jefferson, viz: a hollow crop on the left ear, which mark he bought of the heirs of Benjamin Ayres, deceased. Recorded the 19th day of June, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 14.—At a town meeting legally notified and held in the town of East-Hampton on Tuesday, the 24th day of September, 1805, voted that the sum of one hundred dollars be added to the salary of the Rev. Lyman Beecher, to be annually raised, levied and collected in the same manner that his present salary is raised, levied and collected.

Marks 64.—Jacob Hedges enters for his ear mark, bought of Major Nathan Dayton, a hollow crop on the left ear and a

square crop on the right ear. Recorded the 22d day of November, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 65.—Abraham Hedges, Jr., enters for his ear mark, bought of Major Nathan Dayton a hollow crop on the right ear and a square crop on the left ear. Recorded the 22d day of November, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Schellinger enters for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 19th day of December, 1805, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Abraham Huntting enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the right ear and a slit in the left ear. Recorded the first day of January, 1806, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Abraham Huntting enters the following ear mark for his son Abraham Mulford Huntting, viz : a crop on the right ear and a half penny on each side of the right ear and a half penny on each side of the right ear and a slit in the left ear. Recorded the first day of January, 1806, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 14.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East-Hampton on Tuesday, the first day of April 1806, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws passed by major vote, as follows, : viz :

Trustees—Abraham Miller,	Huntting Miller,
David Sherrill,	Jeremiah Osborn,
David Hedges,	Josiah Mulford,
Benjamin Miller,	Elisha Conkling,
Mulford Hand,	Isaac Barnes,
Edward Mulford	Samuel Parsons.

Jonathan Tuthill, collector, to pay 4 dollars.

Commissioners of highways—Samuel Mulford, Jeremiah Osborn, Miller Dayton.

Overseers of highways—Jonathan Schellinger, Mulford Hand, Samuel Gardiner, Aaron Isaacs, Ambrose Parsons, Nathan Osborn, Isaac VanScoy Jr., and Elihu Edwards.

Fence viewers—Isaac Conklin, Ezekiel Payne, David Talmage, 3d, John Edwards, Jonathan Tuthill, Samuel Parsons, Samuel Miller, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., Bethuel Edwards and Nathan Osborn.

Overseers of the poor—Jeremiah Osborn and Jonathan Tuthill.

Supervisor—Jonathan Dayton.

Constables—Jeremiah Huntting, David Sherrill, David Baker and Jared Hand.

Assessors—Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan S. Conklin, Jeremiah Huntting, Samuel Mulford and Elisha Conkling.

Pound masters—William Parsons, Isaac Payne.

Beach pounders—Joseph Barns, John Hedges, Nathan Osborn, Jonathan Schellinger, Zachariah Hicks and James Hand.

Sheep and swine pounders—Sylvester Schellinger, Sineus Conkling Jr., Elisha Fithian, Elisha Parsons, Henry Osborn, Jr., Lester Bennet, Jeremiah King.

Napeague pounders—Josiah Mulford, Jr., Mulford Hand, Jonathan Barns, Jr., Samuel Miller, Huntting Miller, Jonathan H. Stratton.

Voted 1st. That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be

raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep on the commons or suffer their sheep to lay on the commons of this town after the twelfth day of this month until our next annual town meeting day, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded.

3d. That it shall be lawful to pound all swine that shall be found running at large on the commons of this town westward of Montauk, the owner or owners of all such swine to pay five shillings for each swine so impounded.

4th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland, be hired out for the year ensuing, to be mowed and not pastured and hired it as follows :

Eastermost lot :

No. 1 to Jonathan Barns, Jr., for £1-4-0.

2 to Jonathan Barns, Jr., for £1-12-0.

3 to Jonathan Baker, for £1-12-0.

4 to Jonathan Osborn, Jr., for £1-13-0.

5 to Jonathan Schellinger for £1-11-0.

6 to Jonathan Barns, Jr., for £1-5-0.

Also the beach grass at Georgica to Reuben Hedges for £1-13-0.

Do. at Wainscott pond to Jonathan Osborn for £0-2-6.

5th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town or not having right in the commons of this town, shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the

poor for the use of the poor this town, and the other half for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

6th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town or not having right in the commons of this town shall catch any clams in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, or shall take on board of any vessel or craft any clams that have been taken out of any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to the town, every person so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars and the further sum of one dollar per bushel for all clams caught or taken on board as aforesaid, unless such person or persons shall prove that they purchased them of some inhabitant or freeholder of this town, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the use of the poor of this town and the other half for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

7th. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house for one year by way of public vendue and appropriate the avails thereof towards the payment of Mr. Beecher's salary.

8th. That no person or persons not inhabitants of this town shall get and carry any seaweed from any of the beaches or common land belonging to this town without liberty from the trustees, under the penalty of one dollar per load, to be sued for, recovered and appropriated by the trustees in such manner as they shall think proper.

9th. That if any person or persons shall rake, pick or in any other way gather any cranberries on any of the land or meadow belonging to this town, at any time before the twentieth day of September next at sunrise, every person so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of one

dollar per bushel for every such offence, and in the same proportion for a greater or less quantity to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any cognizance thereof by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the use of the poor of this town, and the other half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect.

10th. That horses shall not be allowed to lay on the commons, Napeague or the beaches in the winter season from the time that the common stock are brought from Montauk in the fall of the year until they are allowed to go to Montauk in the spring, and that all horse kind that shall be found running at large on the commons, Napeague or beaches belonging to this town in the time of year above mentioned, shall be liable to be pounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse kind so impounded.

11th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants or freeholders of this town shall draw any seine for the purpose of catching any fish in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to this town, every person so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, the one half of said forfeiture to go to the person who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the support of the poor of this town, and also that if any person or persons not inhabitants or freeholders, as abovesaid, shall take any shell-fish called horsefeet, from any of the bays, harbors, creeks, beaches or ponds belonging to this town, every person so offending shall forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, to be recovered and applied, as aforesaid.

12th. That no fish shall be caught in the pond called Wain-scott pond, or in the pond called Lillie pond for the term of

one year from the date hereof, and that every person who shall catch any fish in either of said ponds during the term aforesaid, shall forfeit the sum of two dollars for every such offence to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, the one half of said forfeitures to go to the person who shall prosecute for the same, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

13th. That no person not an inhabitant or freeholder of this town shall shoot any sort of wild fowl in this town for the term of one year from the date hereof, and that every person who shall shoot any sort of wild fowl as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay the sum of five dollars for every such offence to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, the one half of said forfeitures to go to the person who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

14th. That the fees of the fence viewers shall be twenty-five cents for their judgement and six cents for every hour they shall attend to the business.

15th. That no person or persons shall draw any seine for the purpose of catching any fish in the pond called Hook pond or in the cove at Georgica, from the flat against Seth Barns' point to the end of said cove for the term of one year from the date hereof, and that every person who shall offend as aforesaid, shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half of said forfeitures, when recovered, to go to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

16th. That whereas sundry persons have made a practice of heaping up seaweed on the shores and beaches in this town and claiming it as their own, which occasioned frequent dis-

putes, therefore, voted that no person shall be entitled to any seaweed or sea drifts until he gets possession by carting it off the beach.

17th. Whereas a dispute now exists between the towns of Southampton and East-Hampton with respect to paying rates and excise on some buildings at Sag-Harbor, intersected by the boundary line between the said town, therefore voted that the trustees of this town choose a committee to confer with a committee from Southampton, if any are or shall be appointed, and to compromise and settle said dispute.

18th. That Jacob Osborn may improve the meadow against his land at Georgica beach.

Book G, page 181.—I, Nathaniel Hand, of East-Hampton, in the county of Suffolk and State of New-York, Esquire, do hereby certify that a female negro child named Ackie, was born on the twelfth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and five, and that the mother of said child is held as a slave by me.

Dated the 26th day of May, A. D., 1806, by

NATHANIEL HAND.

Recorded the 29th day of May, 1806, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 65.—David Mulford enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and an ell the under side of the right ear, which mark belonged to and was given by his father major David Mulford, deceased. Recorded the 31st day of May, 1806 by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 17.—At a meeting of the proprietors of Montauk, duly warned and held at the meeting house in East-Hampton, on Wednesday, the 17th day of September, 1806,

Abraham Miller was chosen moderator and Jeremiah Miller clerk of said meeting. Whereas it is represented to the proprietors of Montauk by the trustees of East-Hampton who have the management of said land of Montauk that certain proposals have been made to them by the Montauk Indians by a Mr. Ludlow and that the proposals were that the proprietors should give them to improve them and their posterity forever the north neck and half the hither woods, and in so doing they to give up all other claims and to withdraw their petition and the said trustees having thought proper to call a proprietors' meeting this day, in reference to this and other business, and the proprietors having duly considered said proposal, and knowing as they do that themselves and their ancestors have owned the whole of the land of Montauk for more than one hundred years by several deeds duly executed by the original Indian owners for a valuable considerations paid them, which deeds were duly confirmed by the several governors of the then province of New York, and knowing that what privileges the Indians now hold is by our sufferance, and by virtue of an agreement jointly made in the year 1702-3, by our ancestors and thirty-two of said Montauk Indians, in their own name and in behalf of the whole tribe which agreement on our part has been faithfully fulfilled and the present proposal of having about three thousand acres of our land, viz: the north neck and half the hither woods, being unreasonable, therefore voted, unanimously, that (although we are ready as we always have been to compromise in a fair manner any disputes in reference to the Indians or any others) that we will not agree to such proposal of giving the Indians the said tract of land, but we will defend our title to the same in law and equity, and the trustees of the town of East Hampton for the time being are hereby directed to defend the same at the proper charge of the said proprietors, and the sum of two thousand dollars is hereby directed to be raised by them in such manner as they shall

judge most proper, or so much of the same as may be necessary to defend in the law the proprietors' title to the said land, and to prosecute at law any trespasses and intrusions that have been or may be made by the said Indians, or any other persons whatsoever, on our property, and the said trustees are hereby invested by us with full power and authority to do in the name of the proprietors of Montauk, whatever they may judge necessary in the above premises.

Recorded by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, page 66.—Augustus Bennett enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of left ear and a nick on the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 27th day of September, 1806, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Matthew H. Cooper, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny the under side of the left ear, which he had of Henry Conklin by way of exchange. Recorded the 17th day of December, 1806, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr. enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny on each side of the left ear. Recorded the 15th day of January, 1807, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jedediah Conklin enters for his ear mark a slope the under side of the right ear and a half penny the under side of the left ear, which he had of Matthew H. Cooper by way of exchange. Recorded the 10th day of February, 1807, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 67.—Jonathan Muford, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and an ell the under side of the right ear, which he had of David Mulford by way of exchange. Recorded the 19th day of March, 1807, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Mulford, Jr., enters the following ear mark for his son David B. Mulford, viz: a crop on the left ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear, which he purchased of Elisha Mulford. Recorded the 19th day of March, 1807 by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Mulford enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear and an ell the under side of the right ear, which he had of Jonathan Mulford, Jr., by way of exchange. who bought the said mark of Matthew Mulford. Recorded the 19th day of March, 1807, by

ABRAHAM. MILLER, Town Clerk.

Daniel Baker enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear, and a slit in the right ear. Recorded the 19th day of March, 1807, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 19.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in and for the town of East-Hampton on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1807, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws passed, as followeth, viz :

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Jonathan Dayton

Isaac Edwards,

John Mulford,

Eli Parsons,

Jonathan Barns,

Jonathan Schellinger, Jr.,

Jeremiah Miller, Jonathan Fithian,
John Stratton, Jr., Nathan Osborn,
Jonathan Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Hunting.

Overseers of the poor—Abraham Parsons and Jonathan Tuthill.

Supervisor—Jonathan Dayton.

Constables—David Sherrill, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Jeremiah Hunting and Lewis Edwards.

Fence viewers—David Baker, Jonathan Schellinger Jr., Robert Parsons, John Parsons, Jeremiah Hunting, Joseph Osborn, Benjamin Miller, David VanScoy, Aaron Isaacs, Jacob Hopping, Elisha Osborn, Jr., Joseph Miller and Elisha Miller.

Pound masters—William Parsons and Isaac Payne.

Beach pounders—Joseph Barns, Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Sherrill Conklin, Zephaniah Hedges, Isaac Barns and Jacob Hopping.

Assessors—Jacob Schellinger, Jonathan S. Conklin, Benjamin Miller, James Hand and Jeremiah Hunting.

Jonathan Tuthill was chosen collector, to pay £2-17-0.

Commissioners of highways.—Jacob Schellinger, Jeremiah Miller and David Talmage, 3d.

Overseers of highways—Josiah Mulford, Jr., John Millerr, Jr., Isaac Barns, James Hand, Joseph Miller, Samuel Ranger, Jr., Samuel Miller, David Gelston and Jonathan Schellinger.

Sheep and swine pounders—Sylvanus Schellinger, Sineus Conklin, Jr., Elisha Fithian, John Chatfield and James Hand.

Napeague pounders—Josiah Mulford, Jr., Jonathan Barns, J. F. Henry Loper, Jonathan Baker and Jonathan H. Stratton.

Voted 1st. That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep on the commons of this town, or suffer their sheep to lay on the common after the 12th day of this month, until

our next annual town meeting day, all such sheep shall be liable to be pounded, the owner or owners to pay one shilling for each sheep so pounded.

3d. That the Trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house and appropriate the avails thereof towards paying Mr. Beecher's salary.

4th. That the Trustees be authorized and empowered to take such measures as they or a majority of them shall deem proper to ascertain the boundary line between the town and the land of Montauk.

5th. That if any person or persons shall cut or carry off of any of the common land at the east end of Napeague any timber, wood, bushes or grass, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay five dollars for every tree or bush so cut and carried off as aforesaid, and one dollar for every hundred of grass or hay so cut or carried off as aforesaid, to be recovered with costs of suit before any court having cognizance of the same, the one-half to be paid for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

6th. That the Trustees erect mile stones on the road from town to Sag Harbor.

7th. That the Trustees be authorized to supply Mr. Beecher with firewood, by a tax or in such other way as they shall judge equitable.

8th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of high land be hired out to mow and not to pasture, and hired it as follows :

Eastermost lot No. 1 to Jonathan Barns, Jr. for	0	16	6
2 to do. do.	1	4	0
3 to Jonathan Baker,	1	11	16
4 to Simon Conkling,	1	12	0
5 to Reuben Hedges,	1	13	0
6 to David Conkling,	1	15	6

Also the meadow grass at Georgica to Reuben Hedges 2 2 0
 Do. Wainscott pond to James Hand, 0 2 0

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the Trustees shall have the management of Montauk the present year as usual.

At a meeting of the proprietors of Montauk held at the town house at East Hampton on Monday the 20th day of July, 1807, previous notice being given by advertisement,

Voted 1st. That Abraham Miller be moderator and Jeremiah Miller, clerk of this meeting.

Voted 2d. That a committee of three be chosen to present the deeds, writings, etc. of the proprietors of Montauk to the commissioners appointed by the legislature of this state to inquire into the grievances complained of by the Montauk Indians, and that Abraham Miller, Jonathan Dayton and Jeremiah Hunting be said committee.

Voted 3d. That the Trustees of this town be authorized to make a new agreement with the Montauk Indians respecting their privileges on said land, if they the said trustees shall think proper, subject to the ratification of the proprietors of Montauk.

4th. That a committee of five be appointed, on the part of the proprietors of Montauk, to ascertain and fix the boundary line between the town and the land of Montauk, and that Miller Dayton, Edward Mulford, Abraham Miller, Hunting Miller and Samuel Mulford, be said committee. Recorded by
 ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 183.—Record of exchange of highways at Sag Harbor. Whereas Daniel Fordham, Hubbard Latham and Henry P. Dering, of Sag Harbor, have applied unto us

the subscribers, commissioners of highways of the town of East Hampton, to let them have the two rod highway between this town and Southampton, that runs down to the water in rear of their lots and the lots of others, the boundary line between the two towns running through the middle of said highway, for which they will give to this town a highway to the eastward of the said two rod highway. We have by the approbation of the Trustees of this town agreed to exchange with them, and have in conjunction with the commissioners of Southampton, executed a quit claim to the said Daniel Fordham, Hubbard Latham and Henry P. Dering, for the said highway, and they have executed a deed to this town for a tract of land which they purchased of David Russel, at Sag Harbor, in the bounds of this town, bounded as follows, viz : beginning at a stone set in the ground five feet eastward of the north corner of David Gelston's door yard, and running north sixteen degrees west, eight chains and twenty-six links, to a red cedar post on the beach, thence north sixty-three degrees west one chain and two links to a stake, thence south seventeen degrees east, eight chains and ninety-one links to a stake, thence north seventy-five degrees east, fifty-five links to the place of beginning, to be and remain a public highway forever.

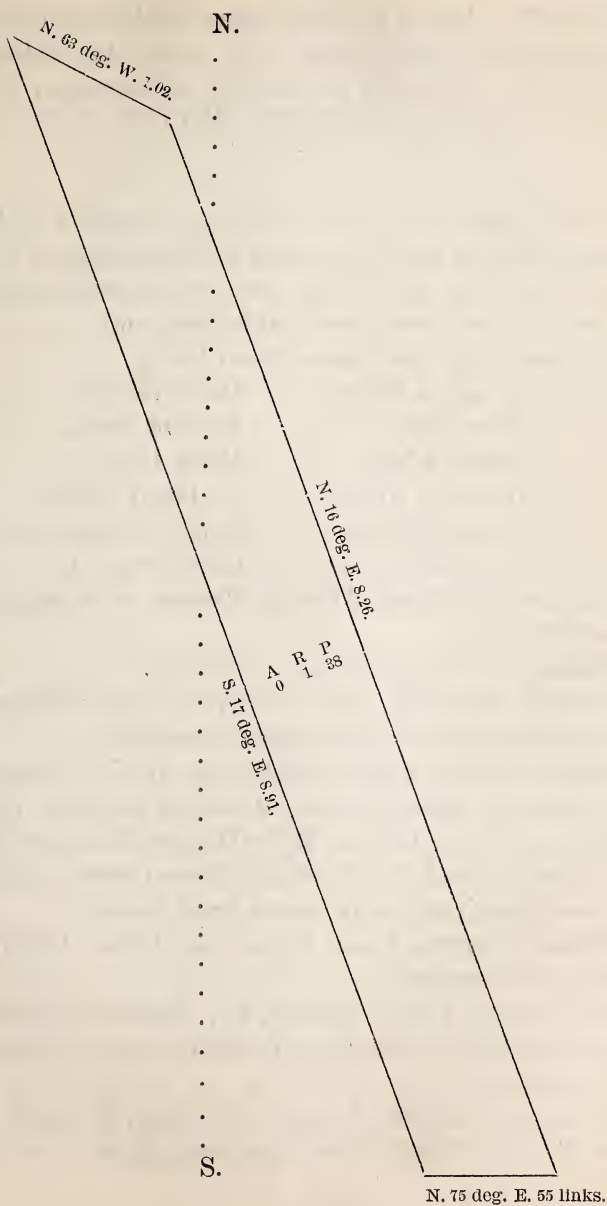
DAVID TALMAGE, 3d,
JACOB SCHELLINGER,
JEREMIAH MILLER.

East Hampton, September 15th, 1807.

Recorded the fifteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seven, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

The following is a plot of the foregoing highway :



Marks 67.—Joseph H. Hand enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on the right ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear. Recorded the 21st day of November, 1807, by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 20.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in and for the town of East-Hampton, Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1808, the town officers were chosen, and the votes or town laws passed, as follows, viz :

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Trustees—Abraham Miller,	David Hedges,
Isaac Barns,	Mulford Hand,
Joseph Barns,	Miller Dayton,
Hunting Miller,	Benjamin Miller,
Josiah Mulford,	David Talmage, 3d,
John Miller, Jr.,	John Strong, Jr.

Jonathan Tuthill and Abraham Parsons were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jonathan Dayton was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Huntting, David Sherrill, Lewis Edwards and Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., were chosen constables.

Philetus Osborn, Jacob Schellinger, David Talmage, 3d., Isaac Edwards, Merry Parsons, Jonathan Stratton, Abraham Osborn, Jr., Josiah Dayton, Miller Dayton, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., Samuel Miller, Elisha Conklin, Elisha Osborn, David Van Scoy and John Terry were chosen fence viewers.

William Parsons, Isaac Payne and David Baker, were chosen pound masters.

Henry Loper, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Burnet Conklin and Jonathan H. Stratton were chosen Napeague pounders.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Jeremiah Huntting, Benjamin Miller, James Hand and Jacob Schellinger were chosen assessors.

Jonathan Tuthill was chosen collector.

David Hedges, Isaac Edwards Jacob Schellinger were chosen commissioners of highways.

Joseph Miller, Jr., Nathaniel Hand, Jr., David Edwards, Horace Isaacs, David Lester, James Hand, Charles Payne, John Terry and John Miller, Jr., were chosen overseers of highways.

Sherrill Conklin, Ananias Baker, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Henry Conklin, Jr., Reuben Hedges, Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Jacob Hopping and Bethuel Edwards were chosen beach pounders.

William Mulford, Jr., David Mulford, Thomas Strong, John Mulford, Jr., Harvey Conklin, Abraham Miller, Jr., Henry Osborn, Jr., William Payne, Henry Bennet, Jared Cook, Stephen Hedges and Burnet Mulford, were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That Isaac Payne's yard at the Springs and David Baker's yard at Amagansett, shall severally be considered and used as town pounds for the purpose of pounding, creatures according to law.

2d. The sum of two hundred and fifty dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

3d. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting-house for one year, by way of public vendue, and appropriate the avails thereof, towards paying Mr. Beecher's salary.

4th. That if any person or persons shall cut or carry off of the commonage land at Napeague, any timber, wood, bushes or grass, he, she or they so offending, shall forfeit and pay five dollars for every tree or bush so cut and carried off as aforesaid, and one dollar for every hundred of grass or hay so cut and carried off as aforesaid, to be recovered, with costs of suit, before any court having cognizance of the same, the one half to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

5th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland, be hired out to mow and not to pasture, and hired it as followeth, viz :

Eastermost lot No. 1 to Capt. Jonathan Barns for	0	16	6
2 to Burnet Conklin	1	0	6
3 to David Baker	1	1	0
4 to Sherrill Conklin	1	2	0
5 to Reuben Hedges	1	10	6
6 to Jonathan Barns, Jr.	2	1	6
Also the meadow at Georgica to Reuben Hedges	1	1	6
Also at Wainscott pond to Daniel Hopping	0	4	6
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6th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to lay on the commons of this town after the twelfth day of this month until the 20th day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be pounded, the owner or owners to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and they to be under the care of a shepherd, approved by the trustees.

Voted 7th. That the letter from Mr. John Miller be referred, discretionary to the trustees.

8th That the petition of Ephraim Edwards be referred, discretionary to the trustees.

9th. That the Trustees be authorized to hire out the parsonage. near Matthew Hedges', in such manner as they shall think proper.

10th. That the trustees be authorized to employ carpenters to examine the meeting house and report what repairs are necessary.

11th. That the trustees take into consideration the propriety of buying a surveyor's compass and chain for use of the town and to purchase them if they think proper.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees of

East-Hampton shall have the management of Montauk the year ensuing, as usually. Recorded by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 182.—This indenture made the fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight, between Abraham Miller, David Hedges, Isaac Barns, Mulford Hand, Joseph Barns, Miller Dayton, Hunting Miller, Benjamin Miller, Josiah Mulford, David Talmage, Jr., John Strong, Jr., and John Miller, Jr., trustees of the freeholders and commonalty of the town of East-Hampton, in the county of Suffolk and State of New-York, of the first part, and the people of the State of New-York of the second part, witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars, lawful money, of the United States, to them in hand paid, by the said party of the second part, the receipt, whereof, is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold, released and confirmed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, release and confirm unto the said party of the second part, a certain tract or parcel of land covered with water at a place called Sag-Harbor, in the township of East-Hampton, and bounded as follows: southwardly, upon the end or head of the Sag-Harbor wharf and extending northwardly, from each corner of the end or head of said wharf, three hundred feet parallel with said wharf and extending in breadth sixty feet on the east side and sixty feet on the west side of the above described tract of land covered with water, which said tract of land and water is conveyed to the people aforesaid, for the purpose of making piers, wharves or other accommodations for shipping at the part of Sag-Harbor, aforesaid, in pursuance of the act entitled "an act for making further provisions for improving the navigation between the villages of Troy and Waterford,

and for other purposes, passed March 19th, 1803," to have and to hold the said granted and bargained premises, with the appurtenances, to the said party of the second part, with all the right, title, claim or demand whatsoever, of the said party of the first part, of, in and to the same for so long a time as the said piers, wharves or other accommodations, shall be preserved for the uses aforesaid. In witness whereof, the said party of the first part have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seal of incorporation the day and year first above written.

ABRAHAM MILLER,
DAVID HEDGES,
JOSEPH BARNES,
MILLER DAYTON,
[L.S.] HUNTTING MILLER,
BENJAMIN MILLER,
JOSIAH MULFORD,
DAVID TALMAGE, JR.,
JOHN STRONG, JR.,
ISAAC BARNES.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of us
HENRY CONKLIN, JR.,
JONATHAN H. STRATTON.

The above is a true copy taken from the original by me,
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 68.—Thomas Strong enters for his ear mark a slit in the right ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear and a slit in the left, and a half penny the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 21st day of April, 1808, by
ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Isaac Edwards enters for his ear mark an ell the under side

of the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 5th day of May, 1808, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Sherry Conklin enters for his ear mark a cropped ell the under side of the right ear, and a half penny the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 10th day of June, 1808, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Osborn, Jr., enters for his ear mark a slit in the end of each ear. Recorded the 19th day of August, 1808, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Lewis Edwards enters for his ear mark an ell the under side of the right ear and a half penny on each side of the left ear, which he bought of Simon Conklin. Recorded the 29th day of March, 1809, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 22.—At an annual town meeting held in and for the town of East Hampton, at the meeting house on Tuesday the 4th day of April, 1809, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws passed as follows :

Abraham Miller was town clerk.

Trustees—Jonathan Dayton,	Jonathan H. Stratton,
Edward Mulford,	Samuel Miller,
Jonathan Schellinger, Jr.	Jonathan Barns, Jr.
Isaac VanScoy, Jr.,	Jeremiah Huntting,
Isaac Edwards,	Elisha Conklin,
David Sherrill,	Samuel Parsons.

Jonathan Tuthill and Abraham Parsons were chosen overseers of the poor.

Jonathan Dayton was chosen supervisor.

Jeremiah Huntting, David Sherrill, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., and Lewis Edwards were chosen constables.

Samuel Mulford, Mulford Hand, Samuel Miller, Thomas Tillinghast, William Mulford, Jr., Josiah Mulford, Jr., Timothy Miller, Jr., Jonathan King, Aaron Isaacs, Zephaniah Hedges, Nathan Osborn, Dering Ranger and John Terry were chosen fence viewers.

William Parsons, David Baker and Isaac Payne were chosen pound masters.

Jonathan H. Stratton, Jonathan Baker, Henry Loper and Isaac B. Miller were chosen Napeague pounders.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Jacob Schellinger, James Hand, Jeremiah Huntting and Isaac Edwards were chosen assessors.

Sherry Conklin was chosen collector, for which he is to give £4-2-0.

Jeremiah Miller, Abraham Parsons and Jacob Schellinger were chosen commissioners of highways.

Abraham Hedges, Mulford Hand, Jonathan Schellinger, Joseph Dimon, John Chatfield, John Strong, Elnathan Parsons, Dering Ranger, Elihu Edwards and Joseph Edwards were chosen overseers of highways.

Nathaniel Baker, Jr., John Chatfield, Jacob Hedges, Jr., Benjamin Parsons, Gardiner Miller, Thomas Baker, Sherry Conklin, Ezra Miller, Jared Cook and Timothy Miller were chosen sheep and swine pounders.

Joseph Barns, Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Jacob Hopping, Henry Conklin, Jr., Bethuel Edwards, Philetus Osborn and Simon Eyres were chosen beach pounders.

Voted 1st. That two hundred and fifty dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d, That the trustees who are in office at the last day of March shall have power to determine the time when the cattle horses and sheep shall go to Montauk the ensuing season.

3d. That the parsonage land be hired out for one year at

public vendue and hired it to Capt. Jeremiah Miller for seventy dollars, the hay all to be foddered on the land, and the said Capt. Miller is to get out of the parsonage wood land, thirty lengths of a two rail fence and put it up on said parsonage at his own cost, and is allowed to get posts out of said woodland to mend the board fence round said parsonage, and when pasturing the pasture land he is allowed to bring his cows home nights, for which he is to carry onto said parsonage lands two loads of dung.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to lay on the commons of this town after the twelfth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be pounded, and the owner or owners of all such sheep shall pay one shilling for each sheep so pounded—Wainscott flock excepted, and they to be under the care of a shepherd approved by the trustees.

5th. That no person or persons shall be permitted to draw a sein or seine in the pond called Alewife Brook pond, unless they shall first obtain liberty of the trustees of this town under the penalty of fifteen dollars for each draft of a seine or seines as aforesaid, to be recovered with costs of suit by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect before any court having cognizance thereof, the one half of all which forfeitures when recovered to be for the benefit of the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half for the benefit of the poor of this town.

6th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for one year to mow and not to pasture and hired it as follows :

Eastermost lot No. 1 to Capt. Jora. Barns for	£0	16	0
" 2 to David Conklin	1	5	0
3 to David Conklin	1	11	0

4 to Burnet Conklin	1	2	6
5 to Reuben Hedges	1	6	0
6 to Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	1	9	0
Also the meadow grass at Georgica to Reuben Hedges	0	11	6
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	£8	2	0

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees of this town shall have the management of the year ensuing, as usual. Recorded by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 69.—Jeremiah Dayton enters for his ear mark, bought of Isaac Conklin, Esq., a crop on the right ear and an ell the under side of the same ear. Recorded the 22d day of June, 1809, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 192.—In the name of God, amen, I, William Parsons, of East-Hampton, in the county of Suffolk and State of New-York, being weak in body but of sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be Almighty God for the same) do make and publish this, my last will and testament, in manner and form following, that is to say: first, I give and bequeath to my son, William Parsons, of Stillwater, in the county of Saratoga, one hundred and twenty-five dollars in cash. And lastly, as to all the rest, residue and remainder of my estate, both real and personal of goods and chattels of what nature and kind soever, I give and bequeath the same to my son, Abraham Parsons, his heirs and assigns forever.

I do further will and ordain that he, my son, Abraham Parsons, pay all my legacies and lawful debts.

I do hereby appoint my son, Abraham Parsons and my

friend Abraham Parsons, senior, executors to this, my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the second day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and nine.

WILLIAM PARSONS. [L. s.]

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named William Parsons, to be his last will and testament in the presence of us, who have hereunto subscribed our names, as witnesses, in the presence of the testator :

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Sr.,

ABRAHAM HEDGES,

AUGUSTUS PARSONS.

I do hereby certify that the above will is a true copy transcribed from the original, the twenty-first day of April, 1823,
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks, 69.—Ezekiel Sanford, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark two half pennies the under side of the right ear, and one half penny the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 21st day of Nov., 1809, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

At an annual town meeting held in and for the town of East-Hampton at the meeting house on Tuesday, the third day of April, 1810, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws passed, as followeth :

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan Dayton, supervisor.

Joathan S. Conklin, Jeremiah Huntting, Jacob Schellinger, James Hand and Benjamin Miller, assessors.

David Hedges, Jacob Schellinger and Jeremiah Huntting, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Tuthill and Abraham Parsons, overseers of poor.

Jonathan Tuthill, Samuel Schellinger, Lewis Edwards and Gardiner Miller, constables.

Jonathan Tuthill, collector, to give £4-9-0.

Mulford Hand, Jonathan Schellinger, Jr., Jonathan Fithian, William Mulford, Jr., David Talmage, Jr., Elnathan Parsons, Dering Ranger, John Parsons, Jr., John Terry, Elisha Conklin and Elisha Osborn, fence viewers.

William Parsons, Mulford Parsons and David Baker, pound masters.

Isaac Hedges, David Conklin, Jonathan Barns, Jr., Samuel Edwards, Nathaniel Baker, Jr., Jacob Hopping, James Hand, Nathan Miller, Jr., and Samuel Isaacs, beach pounders.

Abraham Miller, Jeremiah Osborn, Isaac Barns, Huntting Miller, Elisha Osborn, Jr., Mulford Hand, David Van Scoy, Timothy Miller, Jr., Jonathan Mulford, Jr., David Hedges, John Stratton, Jr., and Jeremiah Miller, trustees.

William Mulford, Jr., Isaac Wickham, Ananias Baker, John Parsons, Jr., John Dimon, Elisha Osborn, Jr., Jeremiah Terry, Elihu Edwards, Isaac B. Miller and Joseph Edwards, overseers of highways.

Samuel Isaacs, Jonathan H. Stratton, Uriah Miller Josiah Mulford, Jr., David Barns and Samuel H. Miller, Napeague pounders.

Isaac Hedges, Thomas Osborn, Frederick King, Jared Cook, Stephen Hedges, Jr., Henry Osborn, Jr., Jonathan King sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That three hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to lay on the commons of this town after the twelfth day of this present month, until the

twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be pounded, and the owner or owners of all such sheep so pounded shall pay one shilling for each sheep so pounded, Wainscott flocks excepted, and they to be under the care of a shepherd approved by the trustees.

3d. That no person or persons shall be permitted to draw any seine or seines in the pond called Alewife Brook pond or in any of the ponds belonging to this town, unless they shall first obtain liberty of the trustees of this town under the penalty of the trustees of this town under the penalty of fifteen dollars for each draught of a seine or seines as aforesaid, to be recovered with costs of suit, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect before any court having cognizance thereof, the one half of all which forfeitures, when recovered, to be for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half for the benefit of the poor of this town.

4th. That no person or persons shall be permitted to pick or gather any cranberries, beach plums or bayberries on any of the common lands belonging to this town without first obtaining liberty of the trustees or such person or persons as they shall appoint for that purpose under the penalty of six cents for every quart of cranberries, beach plums or bayberries so picked or gathered, as aforesaid, to be recovered before any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, the one half of which forfeitures, when recovered, to be for the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same to effect, and the other half for the benefit of the poor of this town.

5th. That the trustees be authorized to hire out the parsonage land for any term of time not exceeding four years.

6th. That Henry Loper have liberty to pasture the highway that surrounds his lot, provided that he keep up the string of fence near his house that fences the Napeague meadows.

7th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland, be hired out for one year to mow but not to pasture and hired it as follows :

Eastermost lot No. 1 to David Conklin	2	0	6
2 to John Miller	2	7	0
3 to Burnet Conklin	2	6	0
4 to Samuel Isaacs	1	18	6
5 to Henry Conklin	2	14	0
6 to Reuben Hedges	3	3	6
Lots eastward of the above to Capt. Jona. Barns	0	17	0
Also the meadow grass at Georgica to Jacob Hopping	1	10	0

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1810, at twelve o'clock, at noon. Recorded by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 69.—Samuel Hedges Miller enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the left ear and a half penny the under side of each ear which he bought of his brother, Benjamin Miller, Jr. Recorded the 3d day of May, 1810, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

William Rogers, Jr., of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of the right ear, and a slit in the left ear. Recorded the 9th day of August, 1810, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Mulford enters for his ear mark a square crop on the right ear and a slit in the same, and a cropped ell the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 17th day of August, 1810, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 70.—David Van Scoy enters the following ear mark for his son, David Burnet Van Scoy, viz: a half penny on each side of the left ear and a half penny on the under side of the right ear, and an ell on the upper side of the right ear. Recorded the 19th day of December, 1810, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Van Scoy enters the following ear mark for his son, Jacob Austin Van Scoy, viz: a square crop on each ear and an ell on the upper side of each ear. Recorded the 18th day of December, 1810, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David H. Miller enters for his ear mark a square crop on each ear and a half penny the under side of the right ear and a nick the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 14th day of February, 1811, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 26.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in and for the town of East Hampton, on Tuesday, the 2d day of April, 1811, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws passed as followeth:

Abraham Miller was chosen town clerk.

Jonathan Dayton, Supervisor.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Jeremiah Huntting, James Hand, Jacob Schellinger and David VanScoy, assessors.

David Hedges, Jacob Schellinger and Jeremiah Huntting, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Tuthill, Abraham Parsons, Overseers of poor.

Jonathan Tuthill, collector, to give £4 12.

Lewis Edwards, Aaron Isaacs, John Stratton, Jr. and David Baker, constables.

Thomas Osborn, Isaac Barns, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Jona-

than H. Stratton, Jacob Hopping, Stephen Hedges, Jr. James Edwards, beach pounders.

Jonathan Dayton, Abraham Parsons, Joseph Barns, Jacob Schellinger, Annanias Baker, Edward Mulford, Nathan Miller, Jr., Josiah Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Huntting, Samuel Miller, Talmage Strong, Jonathan H. Stratton, trustees.

Samuel Conklin, Samuel Conklin, Jr., Samuel Miller, Horace Isaacs, Elisha Miller, Jonathan B. Mulford, James Hand, Talmage Jones, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Jonathan Schellinger, Elihu Edwards, overseers of highways.

William Parsons, David Baker, Mulford Parsons, pound masters.

Jonathan Barns, Jr., Isaac B. Miller, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Napeague pounders.

Henry Bennet, David Edwards, Sylvester Schellinger, William Mulford, Jr., Jacob Osborn, Jr., Stephen Hedges, Jr., sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That the sum of six hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

2d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town after the 12th day of this present month until the 20th day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, and the owner or owners of all such sheep so impounded, to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and they to be under the care of a shepherd approved by the trustees of this town.

3d. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or on the beach on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the 6th day of May and the twelfth day of September, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses or cattle so impounded, to pay fifty cents for each horse kind or neat beast so impounded.

4th. That a committee of seven persons be chosen to devise some plan for the better and more economical method of maintaining the poor of this town, and they, together with the overseers of the poor, report such plan to the next town meetin, and that John Lyon Gardiner, Jonathan Dayton, Edward Mulford, Abraham Miller, Thomas Edwards and Huntting Miller be said committee.

5th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for one year to mow but not to pasture, and hired it as follows :

Westermot lot No 6 to Reuben Hedges	2	15	6
5 to Johathan Barns, Jr.,	1	19	0
4 to Gardner Miller,	2	5	0
3 to Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	2	5	0
2 to Samuel Isaacs,	2	8	0
1 to John Miller.	2	2	0
Lot eastward of the above to Capt. Jonathan Barns	0	17	0
And also the meadow grass at Georgica to Jeremiah Talmage	0	17	0
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	£15	8	6

Ezekiel Payne, Joseph Barns, David Conklin, Jonathan H. Stratton, David Talmage, Jr., Elnathan Parsons, Jr., Isaac Wickham. Samuel Miller, Abraham Osborn, Abraham Huntting, James Edwards and Jacob Hopping were chosen fence viewers.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1812, at 12 o'clock at noon.

Marks 70.—Thomas Edwards enters for his ear mark a slope the upper side of the right ear and a half penny the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 9th day of April, 1811, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Edwards enters for his ear mark a slope the upper side of the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 9th day of April, 1811, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 71.—Jonathan B. Mulford enters for his ear mark a crap on the left ear and a slit in the same ear, and a cropped ell the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 31st day of May, 1811, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Zepheniah Hedges enter for his ear mark a cropped ell the under side of the right ear, and a slope the under side of the left ear and a half penny the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 7th day of June, 1811, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Ranger, Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of the right ear and a slit in the right ear, and an ell the upper side of the left ear. Rehorded the 31st day of July, 1811, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Mulford Parsons enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of the right ear, and a hole in the left ear. Recorded the 22d day of February, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Samuel Stratton enters for his ear mark a nick on the under side of each ear. Recorded the 4th day of March, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 72.—Zepheniah Hedges enters for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the left ear given to him by his father, David Hedges. Recorded the 11th day of March, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Zepheniah Hedges enters for his ear mark a slope on the under side of the left ear and a hole in the same ear. Recorded the 11th day of March, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Wilkes Hedges enters for his ear mark a slope the under side of the right ear and a hole in the left ear. Recorded the 14th day of March, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Wilkes Hedges enters for his ear mark a slope the under side of the left ear and a crop on the same ear. Recorded the 14th day of March, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East-Hampton on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1812, the town officers were chosen, and the votes or town laws passed, as follows :

Abraham Miller was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan Dayton, supervisor.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Jeremiah Hunting, Jacob Schellinger, James Hand and David Talmage, Jr., assessors.

Jeremiah Hunting, Jacob Schellinger and Jeremiah Miller, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Tuthill and Abraham Parsons, overseers of the poor.

John Stratton, Jr., Samuel Miller, Samuel Edwards, John M. Isaacs, constables.

Jonathan Tuthill, collector, to pay £5-13-0.

Miller Dayton, Daniel Osborn, David Talmage, Jr., Hunting Miller, Jonathan Barns, Jonathan Schellinger, Jr., Elisha Conklin, Jeremiah Osborn, Jonathan Fithian, David Edwards, Jeremiah Miller and David Van Scoy, trustees.

William Parsons, David Baker and Mulford Parsons, pound masters.

David Barns, Isaac B. Miller, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Stephen Hedges, Napeague pounders.

Isaac Hedges, Jr., Elisha Miller, John S. Mulford, John Hedges, Isaac Barns, Zephaniah Hedges, Sineus Conklin, Eli Parsons, Isaac Dimon, Ahira Hand, overseers of highways.

Isaac Barns, Ananias Baker, Josiah Mulford Jr., Henry Osborn, Jr., Jonathan H. Stratton, Abraham Osborn, Jr., Talmage Jones, Joseph Dimon, John Strong, Elisha Osborn, Dering Ranger, Isaac Van Scoy, Jr., Timothy Miller, Jr. Solon Parsons, fence viewers.

Jacob Hopping, Stephen Hedges, Jr., Henry Conkling, Jr., Sineus Conklin, Sherry Conklin, beach pounders.

Thomas Osborn, Henry Baker, Abraham Leek, Jr., Henry Osborn, Jr., John Dominy, Jared Cook, Jonathan King, sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house and appropriate the avails towards paying Mr. Phillips' salary.

2d. That the sum of five hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

3d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town after the 20th day of this present month until the 20th day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded and the owner or owners of all such sheep shall pay

one shilling for each sheep so impounded (Wainscott flock excepted,) and they to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees of this town.

4th. That all horses and cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or on the beach on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse kind or neat beast so impounded.

5th. That the committee appointed at our last annual town meeting to devise and report a plan for the better support of the poor, be continued in office until our next annual town meeting, and that said committee be empowered to make such arrangements, respecting the poor, as they shall judge proper.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1812, at 12 o'clock, at noon.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees shall have the management of Montauk for the year ensuing, but not to make any contract to extend beyond the first Tuesday, in April next.

Also the following votes were passed at the foregoing annual town meeting of April 7th, 1812.

Voted 6th. That Miller Dayton and David Hedges, Jr., be delegates to meet at Riverhead, on Thursday, the 9th inst., for the purpose of nominating candidates for member of Congress and Senators with full authority to act in behalf of this town, at said meeting.

7th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for one year, to mow but not to be pastured, and hired it as follows:

Westermmost lot No. 6 to Reuben Hedges for	2	8	0
5 to Isaac Dimon	2	4	0
4 to Sherry Conklin	1	15	0
3 to Jonatban Barns	1	16	0
2 to Samuel Conklin, Jr.,	2	7	6
1 to Jonathan Barns, Jr.	1	19	0
Lot eastward of the above to Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	0	15	6
Meadow grass at Georgica to Jeremiah Talmage	0	16	6
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	£14	1	6

Sth. That the trustees be authorized to give a bounty for killing crows and destroying crow's eggs at their discretion, not to extend beyond the first day of November next.

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 72.—Theophilus Cook, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his brand mark the letters T C for all sorts of creatures. Recorded the 9th day of April, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Edwards enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear, and a half penny on each side of the same ear, and a half penny on the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 20th day of April, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Cler .

Marks 73.—David H. Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny on the under side of each ear. Recorded the 21st day of April, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Gideon Hand, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny ou the under side of the right ear and a slope on the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 6th day of July, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Simon Howell, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope on the under side of each ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 6th day of July, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Hiram Sandford, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark two half pennies on the under side of the left ear and a slope the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 16th day of September, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Joseph Edwards enters for his ear mark a hole in the right ear, and an ell the under side of the left ear. Recorded the 24th day of November, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

John Dudley Edwards enters for his ear mark a hole in the left ear and an ell the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 24th day of November, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

74.—Isaac Dimon enters for his ear mark a slit in each ear and a half penny the under side of the right ear, which he purchased of Cornelius Osborn's heirs. Recorded the 16th day of December, 1812, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Rev. Ebenezer Phillips enters for his ear mark a hole in the right ear. Recorded the 15th day of February, 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Talmage Barnes enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the right ear and a hollow crop on the left ear. Recorded the 18th day of March, 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Isaac Mulford Pierson enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a slit in it, and a half penny the upper side of the same ear, and a half penny on the upper side of the right ear. Recorded the 25th day of March, 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 29.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East Hampton, on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1813, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws passed as follows :

Abraham Miller was chosen town clerk.

Jonathan Dayton, supervisor.

Jeremiah Huntting, James Hand, Jacob Schellinger, David Talmage, Jr., Abraham Parsons, assessors.

Jeremiah Huntting, Jonathan S. Conklin, Miller Dayton, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Tuthill, Jonathan S. Conklin, overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Merry Parsons, Jr., Thomas Osborn, constables.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., collector, to pay £8-1-0.

David Edwards, Samuel Gardiner, David Baker, David Conklin, Horace Isaacs, Samuel Miller, James Edwards, Zeph. Hedges, Jeremiah Bennett, Jr., Jeremiah Terry, Joseph Edwards, David Talmage, Jr., fence viewers.

Henry Loper, Jonathan Barns, Jr., Abraham Hedges, beach pounders.

Jonathan Dayton, Samuel Gardiner, Ezekiel Payne, Isaac

Barns, David Hedges, Jr., Jeremiah Bennett, Jr., Jonathan H. Stratton, Abraham M. Smith, Samuel Miller, Solon Parsons, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., John Strong, trustees.

Sineus Conklin, Isaac Barns, Stafford Hedges, Samuel Miller, Ezra Miller, Zephaniah Hedges, Eli Parsons, Mulford Parsons, Elihu Edwards, Hezekiah Edwards, overseers of highways.

William Parsons, David Baker and Mulford Parsons, pound masters.

Henry Loper, Thomas Osborn and Mulford Hand, Napeague pounders.

Henry Baker, Jacob Osborn, Jacob Hedges, Jr., sheep and swine pounders.

Noted 1st. That the sum of five hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town the year ensuing.

2d. That this town will raise by a tax, a sum equal to the sum allotted to this town of the common school fund, and the Supervisor of this town is hereby directed to levy on this town, at the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors the sum required by the act entitled an act for the support of common schools, passed the 19th day of June, 1812, to entitle this town to its proportion of the interest of said fund to be distributed.

Ebenezer Phillips, Abel Huntington and Abraham M. Smith were chosen commissioners of schools and David Hedges Jr., Edward Mulford, Mulford Hand, Solon Parsons, David Van Scoy and Elisha Conklin were chosen inspectors of schools.

3d. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house and appropriate the avails thereof towards paying Mr. Philliph's salary.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town after the 20th day of this month until the 20th day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded,

and the owner or owners of all such sheep shall pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and they to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees of this town.

5th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or on the beach on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse or neat beast so impounded.

6th. That the committee appointed at our annual town meeting, on the 2d day of April, 1811, to devise and report a plan for the better support of the poor, be continued until our next annual town meeting.

7th. That the petition of John King be referred to the trustees to act thereon as they shall judge proper.

8th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired for one year to mow, but not to be pastured, and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and hired as follows :

Eastermost lot No. 6 to Samuel Schellinger,	£2	2	0
5 to Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	1	17	0
4 to David Baker,	2	8	0
3 to Burnet Conklin,	1	19	0
2 to Joseph Dimon,	2	11	0
1 Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	4	3	0
Lot eastward of the above to Jonathan Barns,	1	4	0
Meadow at Georgica to Reuben Hedges,	1	11	0
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	£17	15	0

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1814, at 12 o'clock meridian.

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the Trustees shall have full power and authority to transact the business of Montauk in behalf of the said proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting, as usual.

Marks, 74.—Elisha Miller enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny the under side of the same ear, and a hollow crop on the left ear, which he had of his brother David Miller. Recorded the 19th day of May, 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

75.—Asa Miller enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of the right ear and a slope on the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 19th day of May, 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Theophilus T. Pierson of Bridge Hampton enters for his ear mark a hollow crop on each ear and a half penny the under side of each ear. Recorded the 11th day of September, 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Alfred Pierson, of Bridge Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny the under side of each ear and a hollow crop on the right ear. Recorded the 11th day of Sept. 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

At a joint meeting of the commissioners of common schools for the town of Southampton and East Hampton, held at Sag Harbor, December 4, 1813,

Resolved, That all that part of the town of East Hampton, lying west of Northwest creek and a line running southwest from the head of said creek to the Southampton line, be an-

nexed to the eleventh school district of the town of Southampton.

EBENEZER PHILLIPS,
ABEL HUNTINGTON,
ABRAHAM M. SMITH,

Commissioners for the Town of East Hampton.

WM. HERRICK,
ABM. ROSE,

Commissioners for the Town of Southampton.

Book H, page 31½.—At a meeting of the commissioners of common schools for the town of East-Hampton, held December 6th, 1813,

Resolved, The town of East Hampton (with the exception of that part of it which is annexed to the eleventh school district of the town of Southampton) be divided into eight school districts, bounded and numbered as follows, viz :

1st district to include Gardiner's Island.

2d district to include the whole of Montouk, beginning at the point and extending westerly to Montauk bounds.

3d district to be bounded east by the 2d district, north by Gardiner's bay, northwest and west by a line running southwesterly from the house of Jonathan Edwards to the house of Jeremiah Dayton (including the former of these houses only) and south by the sea. (Crossed.)

4th district to be bounded easterly by the third district, north by Gardiner's bay, west by Three Mile Harbor, southerly by a line running southeasterly from the house of David Lester, Jr., (including said house) to intersect the western line of the 3d district at the distance of one mile and a half north of the house of Jeremiah Dayton. (Crossed.)

5th district to be bounded easterly by Three Mile Harbor and the road running from David Lester, Jr's., to round

swamp, south by a direct line from said swamp to the head of Northwest creek, west by Northwest creek, north by Gardiner's bay.

6th district to be bounded east by the 3d district, north by the 4th and 5th districts, westerly by a direct line from the head of Northwest creek to the end of the long lane, southerly, by a line running through the middle of long lane and Newtown lane, to the house of Harvey Conklin (including said house) and from thence southerly to the sea.

7th district to be bounded east and north by the 6th district, west by a direct line running southerly from the head of Northwest creek to the Tan creek, and from thence to the sea, south by the sea.

8th district to be bounded east by the 7th district, north by the 7th district, north by a part of the 11th district of Southampton, west by the Southampton line, south by the sea.

EBENEZER PHILLIPS,
ABEL HUNTINGTON,
ABRAHAM M. SMITH.

Commissioners of Common Schools.

Marks 75.—Abraham M. Smith enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a nick on the under side of the right ear. Recorded the 24th day of December, 1813, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

David Baker enters for his ear mark an ell on the under side of each ear, and a crop on each ear. Recorded the 22d day of January, 1814, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Mulford Parsons enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of the right ear, and the said ell cropped off, or what is generally called a cropped ell on the upper side of the right ear. Recorded the 9th day of February, 1814, by

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees shall have full power and authority to transact the business of Montauk in behalf of the said proprietors, from this day until our next unnuual town meeting, as usual.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of common schools for the town of East-Hampton, held on the 1st day of April, 1814.

Resolved, That for the better accommodation of the inhabitants, the following alteration be made in the sixth and seventh school districts :

The sixth district to be bounded southerly by a line running southeasterly from the east end of Long Lane four rods south of Newtown Lane, and between the houses of Jonathan Fithian and Jonathan Conklin, to the house of Hervey Conklin.

EBENEZER PHILLIPS,
ABEL HUNTINGTON,
ABRAHAM M. SMITH.

Commissioners of Common Schools.

At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1814, the town officers were chosen, and the votes or town laws passed as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan Dayton, supervisor.

James Hand, Jacob Schellinger, David Talmage, Jr., Samuel Miller, Abraham Parsons, assessors.

Miller Dayton, Samuel Miller, Solon Parsons, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Tuthill, Isaac Wickham, overseers of the poor.

Merry Parsons, Jr., Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., constables.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., collector, to pay £10-17.

Edward Mulford, William Mulford, Isaac Barns, Jacob Schellinger, Isaac Edwards, David Talmage, Jr., Jeremiah Bennet, Jr., John Terry, Bethuel Edwards, Elisha Osborn, Jr., John Mulford, John Stratton, John Hedges, Jeremiah Hunting, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, David Baker, Mulford Parsons, pound masters.

Hunting Miller, Jeremiah Osborn, Josiah Dayton, John Stratton, Isaac Wickham, Joseph Edwards, Stafford Hedges, Jonathan B. Mulford, Thomas Edwards, Talmage Strong, Jonathan Schellinger, Miller Dayton, trustees.

Samuel Edwards, Mulford Hand, Wilson Gardiner, Timothy Miller, David NanScoy, Cornelius Sleight, Zephaniah Hedges, John Miller, John S. Mulford, Jonathan B. Tuthill, overseers of highways.

Josiah Mulford, Jr., Jonathan Barns, Jr., Talmage Barns, Napeague pounders.

Jonathan Fithian, Jr., Samuel Stratton, John M. Isaacs, Richard Lester, Lebbeus King, sheep and swine pounders.

Joseph Osborn, Jr., Henry P. Osborn, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Joseph Hicks, beach pounders.

Voted 1st. That the sum of five hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That this town will raise, by a tax, a sum equal to the sum allotted to this town of the common school fund, and the supervisor of this town is hereby directed to levy on this town, at the next meeting of the board of supervisors, the sum required by the act entitled an act for the support of common schools, passed the 19th day of June, 1812, to entitle this town to its proportion of interest of said fund to be distributed.

Ebenezer Phillips, Abel Huntington and Abraham M. Smith were chosen commissioners of schools, and David Hedges, Jr., Edward Mulford, Mulford Hand, Solon Parsons,

David VanScoy and Elisha Conkling were chosen Inspectors of schools.

3d. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house, and appropriate the avails thereof towards paying Mr. Phillips' salary.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next (without having a shepherd with them who shall be approved of by the trustees) all such sheep shall be liable to be liable to be impounded, and the owner or owners of all such sheep shall pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and they to be under the care of a shepherd to be approved of by the trustees of this town.

5th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or on the beach on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth of September next, ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse or neat beast so impounded.

6th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland, be hired out for one year, to mow but not to be pastured, and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and hired out as follows:

Eastermost lot No. 6 to Capt. Jonathan Barns	0	16	0
No. 5 to Capt. Jonathan Barns	0	16	0
No. 4 to Abraham Huntting	0	17	0
No. 3 to Abraham Huntting	0	16	0
No. 2 to David Edwards	2	15	6
No. 1 to Reuben Hedges	1	14	0
Lot eastward of the above to Capt. Jonathan Barns	0	12	0
Meadow at Georgica to Isaac Dimon	0	16	0
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	£9	2	6

7th. That application be made to his Excellency, the Governor, for a military force to guard this town, and that the trustees of this town be directed to make said application.

8th. That the trustees be authorized to make an index to the records of this town, or transcribe them in order that they may be rendered more legible, and of easier comprehension.

9th. That the commissioners of highways be authorized to stake out the highway leading from the house of David Dayton to the port of Sag-Harbor, to the width of four rods.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, 1815, to 12 o'clock Meridian.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 76.—Henry Loper enters for his ear mark a square U on the left ear. Recorded the 25th day of April, 1814, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 220.—SUFFOLK COUNTY ss :

I, Abraham Miller, one of the judges of the Court of common pleas, in and for the said county, do hereby certify that Isaac Plato, a black man of East-Hampton, in the county aforesaid, aged about forty-seven years, and about five feet nine inches high, hath exhibited satisfactory proof to me, that he was born free and that he is now a free man, according to the laws of this State.

ABRAHAM MILLER.

East-Hampton, 26th of April, 1814.

Recorded the 26th day of April, 1814, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 76.—Jeremiah Terry enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of each ear and a half penny under each ear and intends using it in lieu of the one which stands recorded

to him the 30th day of May, 1805. Recorded the 26th day of May, 1814, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Abraham Parsons enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of each ear and a half penny under the left, which his father, Henry Parsons, gave to him, which stands recorded to him on this book, April 3d, 1776. Recorded the 7th day of June, 1814, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

At a meeting of the commissioners of highways of this town held on the 21st day of Sept. 1814, it was agreed by them that the highways in said town should be divided into the following districts, viz :

The eastern or first district bounded westerly by Capt. Ezekiel Mulford's,———on the south and Jonathan Edwards on the north side.

2d district to be bounded easterly by the first, westerly by Three Mile Harbor, southerly, by the corner of Capt. Jeremiah Osborn's land, a little to the southward of Kingstown, running from thence to the head of Three Mile Harbor.

3d district to be bounded eastwardly, by the second, westerly, by the head of Northwest swamp, southerly, by a line running from the head of Three Mile Harbor to Long Hill, Powder Hill, and thence to the head of Northwest swamp.

4th district to be bounded eastwardly, by the first, northerly, by the second and third, westerly, by the dwelling houses of William Huntting and Joseph Osborn.

5th district to be bounded by the third and fourth, westerly by a line running from Seth Barnes' dwelling house to the slough on Sag-Harbor road, northwardly, by a line running from the said slough to the head of North West swamp.

6th district to be bounded eastwardly by the fifth, westerly by a line running from the Tan Creek to the junction of Sag-Harbor and Buck's Kill roads.

7th district to be bounded eastwardly by the fifth and sixth Southampton line, northerly by a line running from the slough on Sag-Harbor road, and westerly by the Southampton line.

8th district to be bounded eastwardly by the third, westerly by the Southampton line, southwardly by the fifth and seventh districts.

SOLON PARSONS,
MILLER DAYTON,
SAMUEL MILLER.

Commissioners of highways.

(Note later.)—The foregoing districts are made void, and a new record made of the highway districts and recorded towards the last end of this book

East-Hampeon, March 18th, 1833.

SAMUEL MILLER,
JONATHAN H. STRATTON,
WILLIAM D. PARSONS.

Commissioners of highways.

Marks 76.—Joseph Barnes enters for his ear mark a cropped ell over the right ear, and a slope under the left ear, and also for another mark an ell over the right ear and a slope under the left ear. Recorded the 2d day of Dec. 1814, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Charles Payue entereth for his ear mark a square crop and slit on the left ear, and a square crop and half penny under the right ear. Recorded the 27th of December, 1814, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 77.—Benjamin Parsons enters for his ear mark a crop on each ear and a slit in the left ear. Recorded the 9th of January 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Mulford Parsons enters for his ear mark a crop on the right ear and a half penny under the same, and a half penny on on the upper side of the left ear, which he says he bought of David VanScoy. Recorded the 23d of March, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

William Mulford enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear, and an ell under the left ear which his father, William Mulford, deceased, used in his life time. Recorded the 23d of March, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Thomas Mulford enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear and an ell under the right ear. Recorded the 28th of March, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

David VanScoy enters for his ear mark a square crop on each ear and an ell over the right ear. Recorded the 4th day of April, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 78.—Sineus C. Miller enters for his ear mark a square crop on each ear, and a half penny under the left, which was formerly used by his father, Timothy Miller, deceased. Recorded the 4th day of April, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 36.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East-Hampton on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1815, the town officers were chosen, and the votes or town laws passed, as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

Supervisor, Jonathan Dayton.

Page 35½.—Assessors.—Samuel Miller, James Hand, Jonathan S. Conklin, David Talmage, Abraham Parsons.

Commissioners of highways, Solon Parsons, Samuel Miller, Jeremiah Hunting.

Overseers of the poor, Jonathan Tuthill, Isaac Wickham.

Constables, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Merry Parsons, Jr.

Collector, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., to pay £22-S-0.

Trustees, Jonathan Dayton, Samuel Miller, David Talmage, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., Samuel Parsons, Isaac B. Miller, Isaac Barnes, David Hedges, Jr., Elisha Conklin, Ananias Baker, Edward Mulford, Jonathan H. Stratton.

Overseers of highways, John Parsons, Jr., Nathaniel Hand, Jr., Elisha Osborn, Henry P. Osborn, Sineus C. Miller, Burnet Conklin, Joseph Dimon, Jacob Hedges, Jr., David VanScoy, David Terbel, Jr.

Fence viewers, Isaac B. Miller, Elisha Osborn, Jr., James Hand, Daniel Baker, Jr., Abraham Osborn, Solon Parsons, Jonathan B. Mulford, Talmage Jones, Isaac Barnes, John Stratton, Abraham Hunting, David H. Miller.

Commissioners of common schools, Jonathan S. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., Abraham M. Smith.

Inspectors of common schools, Ebenezer Phillips, Solon Parsons, Edward Mulford, Abel Huntington, Nathaniel Dorniny, David VanScoy.

Pound masters, Abraham Parsons, Jr., David Baker, David Talmage.

Napeague pounders, David Edwards, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr.

Sheep and swine pounders, Henry P. Osborn, Henry Schellinger, Edward Bennet, Jr., Abraham Hunting, Jeremiah W. Gardiner, Joseph Hicks, Henry Bennett, Thomas Baker.

Beach pounders, Nathaniel Baker, Jeremiah Dayton, Enoch Fithian, Thomas Edwards.

Voted 1st. That the sum of six hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d That this town will raise, by a tax, a sum equal to the sum allotted to this town of the common school fund, and that the supervisor of this town be hereby directed to levy on this town at the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors, the sum required by the act entitled an act for the support of common schools, passed the 19th day of June, 1812, to entitle this town to its proportion of the interest of said fund to be distributed.

3d. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house and appropriate the avails of which, towards the payment of the salary of Mr. Phillips.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, and the owner or owners of all such sheep shall pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded; Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd to be approved of by the trustees of this town.

5th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or on the beach on the south side from the hither end on Montauk, to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse or neat beast so impounded.

6th. That if any person or persons shall cart with any one or more teams more than two loads of sea weed or sea drift from the beach in this town called Long Beach, at Tthree Mile Harbor, on any one day, and those be carted between sunrise and sunset, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit the sum of five dollars, to be recovered with costs of suit, in any court having cognizance of the same, the one half of which forfeitures, when recovered, to be applied to the use of the poor of this town, the other half to the person who shall prosecute for the same.

7th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highlands for one year to mow and not to be pastured, to be hired out, and also the meadow grass at Georgica on six months credit.

Eastermost lot No. 6 to David Baker	£0	15	0
5 to Burnet Conklin	1	0	6
4 to Nathaniel Huntting	1	16	0
3 to Abraham Huntting	1	12	6
2 to David Edwards	1	15	6
1 to Henry Babcock	3	0	0
Lot eastward of above to Samuel Schellinger	0	17	6
Meadow grass at Georgica to Jeremiah Talmage	0	13	0
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	£11	13	0

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April, 1816, at 12 o'clock, noon.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees shall have full power and authority to transact the business of said Montauk in behalf of the said proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting, as usual.

Marks 78.—Abraham Sherril enters for his son Stephen Sherril, the following ear mark, viz: a square crop on the

right ear and a nick under the left ear. Recorded the 14th day of April, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jacob Schellinger enters for his ear mark a half penny over the left ear which his father, Jonathan Schellinger, deceased, used in his life time. Recorded the 25th day of April, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jacob Schellinger enters for his son Jacob Schellinger, Jr.'s ear mark a half penny over the left ear and a nick under the right ear. Recorded the 25th day of April, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

David Hedges, Jr., enters for his ear mark a hole in the left ear. Recorded May 22d, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 79.—Jeremiah Bennett, Jr., enters for his son Jeremiah P. Bennett, the following ear mark, viz: a half penny the upper and under side of the right ear and an ell under the left, cropped off, or what is usually called a cropped ell. Recorded the 29th day of May, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Dering Ranger enters for his son, Stephen Ranger, the following ear mark, viz: a half penny under and over the right ear, a cropped ell off the left ear and a half penny under the same. Recorded the 29th day of May, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Deacon David Talmage enters for his son, Baldwin C. Talmage, the following ear mark, viz: a crop off the right

ear and an ell on the upper side of the same, and a slit in the left ear. Recorded the 30th day of May, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Joseph Miller, Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the left ear cropped off, or what is usually called a cropped ell the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 18th day of June, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Nathaniel Dominy enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear, and a slit in the same ear, and a slit in the right. Recorded the 8th day of November, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 80.—Jeremiah King enters for his ear mark a crop off each ear and a half penny the upper side of the right ear, and a hole in the left. Recorded the 8th of November, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

James Sandford, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope over the right ear, which was bought of Capt. William Rogers. Recorded the 23d of December, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Sylvanus Sandford, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark an ell under the left ear, and a slope under the right ear which was formerly used by his father, deceased. Recorded the 23d of December, 1815, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

John P. Osborn, of the town of Southampton, enters for his ear mark a crop off each ear and an ell over the left ear. Recorded the 1st day of April, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 166.—I, Abraham Osborn, Jr., of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk and State of New-York, do hereby certify that a male child named Simeon Rugg, was born on the sixteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, and that the mother of the said Simeon is held as a slave by me, Abraham Osborn, jr.

I certify the above certificate to be a true copy of the original certificate signed by Abraham Osborn, Jr.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 38.—At annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East-Hampton, Tuesday, the 2d day of April, 1816, the town officers were chosen, and the votes and town laws were passed, as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin was chosen supervisor.

David Talmage, Jonathan S. Conklin, James Hand, Isaac Barnes, Abraham Parsons, were chosen assessors.

Samuel Miller, David Sherril, David Talmage commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Tuthill, Isaac Wickham, overseers of poor.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Merry Parsons, Jr., constables.

Jonathan Tuthill, collector, to pay £22-0-0.

Abraham M. Smith, Miller Dayton, Nathaniel Hand, Jr. Josiah Dayton, Isaac Edwards, Jeremiah Osborn, Joseph Barnes, David Baker, Huntting Miller, Jeremiah Huntting, Stephen Hedges, Zephaniah Hedges, trustees.

Samuel Schellinger, Eleazer Hand, Ellis Parsons, Ananias Baker, Abraham Osborn, Jr., James Edwards, David H. Miller, David Russell, John Dimon, Elihue Edwards, Jonathan Mulford, overseers of highways.

Abraham Osborn, Jonathan H. Stratton, Talmage Jones

Philetus Osborn, John Stratton, David Talmage, Stephen Hedges, Jr., Joseph Barnes, Ananias Baker. Talmage Strong, Miller Dayton, Timothy Miller, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., David Baker, David Talmage, pound masters.

Thomas Osborn, Joseph Hicks, Daniel Baker Napeague pounders.

Jonathan S. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., Abraham Parsons, commissioners of common schools.

Stephen Hedges, Nathan Hedges, Philetus Osborn, Stephen Hedges, Jr., Sherry Conklin, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Jeremiah W. Gardiner, Miller Dayton, Ananias Baker, John Miller, Enoch Fithian, Samuel Osborn, beach pounders.

Ebenezer Phillips, Abel Huntington, David Van Scoy, Nathaniel Dominy, Samuel Mulford, David Talmage inspectors of common schools.

Voted 1st. That the sum of six hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of the town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the pews in the meeting house be hired out and the avails of which be appropriated for the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary.

3d. That this town will raise, by a tax, a sum equal to the sum allotted to this town, of the common school fund, and that the supervisor of this town be hereby directed to levy on the said town at the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors, the sum required by the act entitled an act for the support of common schools, passed the 19th of June, 1812, to entitle this town to its proportion of the interest of said fund to be distributed.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, and the owner or owners of all such sheep shall pay

one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd to be approved of by the trustees of this town.

5th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or on the beach on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth of May and the twelfth day of September next, ensuing shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse or neat beast so impounded.

6th. That if any person or persons shall cart (with any one or more teams) more than two loads of seaweed or sea-drift from the beach in this town called Long Beach on any one day and those to be carted between sunrise and sunset, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit the sum of five dollars to be recovered with costs of suit in any court having cognizance of the same, the one half of which forfeiture, when recovered, to be applied to the use of the poor of this town, the other half to the person who shall prosecute for the same.

7th. Voted that Jonathan S. Conklin and Abraham Parsons be a committee to examine the records of this town and lay the same before the trustees of the said town, for their opinion respecting the propriety of transcribing the said records, or making an index to them in order that they may be more easily comprehended.

8th. That the petition of Mr. Elihue Edwards, relative to the seaweed at Sag-Harbor, belonging to this town, be referred to the trustees of the same.

9th. That the trustees of said town be authorized to sell the water lots at Sag-Harbor that belong to the same.

10th. That Mr. Joseph Dimon procure for himself a dinner at the expense of the town on Sundays for services rendered in leading the music of this congregation, and also that the

front seats in the galleries of the meeting house be appropriated exclusively for the singers.

11th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for one year to mow, but not to be pastured, and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the same was hired out as follows :

Eastermost lot No. 6 to Burnet Conklin	£1	6	6
5 to Jeremiah Talmage	1	17	0
4 to Isaac Dimon	1	14	0
3 to David Edwards	2	3	0
2 to Joseph Dimon	2	8	0
1 to John Miller	2	19	0
Lot eastward of the above to Burnet Conklin	2	16	6
Meadow grass at Georgica to Isaac Dimon	0	10	0
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	£13	13	6

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April, 1816, at 12 o'clock, noon.

ABRAHAM MILLER, Town Clerk.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk, that the trustees of this town shall have full power and authority to transact the business of said Montauk in behalf of the said proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting as usual.

Marks S0.—Daniel King enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear and a half penny under the same. Recorded the 18th of May, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

John Dayton, Jr., enters for his ear mark a square crop off each ear, and a half penny over the right ear. Recorded the 18th day of May, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 81.—Ebenezer Hedges enters for his son, Thomas T. Hedges' ear mark a half penny the upper and under side of the right ear and a hole in the left ear, which stands recorded to Jeremiah Bennett, Jr., on this book, Feby. 4th, 1783. Recorded the 3d day of June, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Ebenezer Hedges enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper and under side of the right ear. Recorded the 3d day of June. 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Bennett, Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper and under side of the right ear and an ell under the left ear, which stands recorded on this book to John Garet, 23d of July, 1779. Recorded the 3d of June, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Isaac Edwards enters for his son, Isaac Edwards, Jr., an ell under side of the right ear and a half penny the upper side of each ear. Recorded the 3d of June, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jonathan H. Stratton enters for his son, Henry D. Stratton, the following ear mark; viz: a crop off the right ear and a slit in the same, and a half penny under the left ear, it being the ear mark that was formerly used by Edward Conklin, deceased. Recorded the 18th day of July, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 82.—Jonathan H. Stratton enters for his son, George N. Stratton, the following ear mark, viz: a half penny over the right ear and a nick under the same. Recorded the 18th day of July, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Capt. Silas Hand, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark an ell under the left ear and a half penny over the same, and a slope under the right ear. Recorded the 2d day of September, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Sylvanus Hand, son of Capt. Silas Hand, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear and a half penny over the same, and a half penny under the right ear, which mark was formerly used by Henry Pierson, Esq., of Bridge-Hampton. Recorded the 2d of September, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Sylvanus Edwards enters for his ear mark a crop ell off the right ear and a half penny the upper side of the same ear. Recorded the 20th day of September, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Mulford enters for his son, Miller D. Mulford, the following ear mark, viz: a square crop off the right ear, a slit in the same ear, a cropped ell on the upper side of the left ear. Recorded the 23d day of October, 1816, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 190.—To all to whom it may concern, be it known that Sarah Gardiner, of Gardiner's Island in the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk and State of New-York, for divers good causes and consideration me thereunto moving, have released from slavery, liberated and manumitted and set free, and by these presents do hereby release from slavery, liberate, manumit and set free my negro man named Pomp, being of the age of thirty-four years, and able to work and gain a sufficient livelihood and maintenance, and him the said negro man, named Pomp, I do hereby declare to be

henceforth free, manumitted and discharged from all manner of servitude to me, my executors and administrators forever.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

SARAH GARDINER. [L. s.]

Signed and sealed in the presente of
Jonathan Dayton,
Abraham Parsons.

I do hereby certify the above to be a true copy from the the original.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.
East-Hampton, July 10, 1816.

Book G, page 189.—To all to whom it may concern, be it known that Sarah Gardiner, of Gardiner's Island, in the County of Suffolk and State of New-York, for divers good causes and considerations me thereunto moving, have released from slavery, liberated and manumitted and set free, and by these presents do manumit and set free, and hereby set free and release from slavery my negro man, named William, being of the age of about thirty-two years and able to work and gain a sufficient livelihood and maintenance; and he, the said negro man, named William, I do declare to be henceforth free, manumitted and discharged from all manner of servitude to me, my executors and administrators forever.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

SARAH GARDINER. [L. s.]

Signed and sealed in the presence of
Jonathan Dayton,
Abraham Parsons.

I do certify the above to be a true copy from the original.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.
East-Hampton, July 10th, 1816.

Book H, page 40½.—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the first day of April, 1817, the town officers were chosen and the votes and town laws were as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin, supervisor.

David Talmage, James Hand, Isaac Barnes, Jonathan S. Conklin, Abraham Parsons, assessors.

David Talmage, Samuel Miller, David Sherril, commissioners of highways.

Jonathan Tuthill, Isaac Wickham, overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Merry Parsons, constables.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., collector, to pay 41 dolliars.

David Hedges, Jr., Nathaniel Huntting, Samuel Mulford, Jonathan H. Stratton, David Talmage, Samuel Miller, Isaac Barnes, Isaac VanScoy, Stafford Hedges, Jesse Strong, William Mulford, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., trustees.

Stephen Hedges, Abraham Osborn, Jr., Jonathan B. Mulford, Elisha Osborn, Samuel Schellinger, Timothy Miller, Isaac Barns, John Dimon, overseers of highways.

Timothy Miller, Ananias Baker, Samuel Parsons, Samuel Miller, Jonathan Osborn, Jr., David Talmage, Samuel Schellinger, Stephen Hedges, Jr., Joseph Barns, Elisha Osborn, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., David Talmage, Nathaniel Hand, pound masters.

Simeon Conklin, Jeremiah Mulford, David Edwards, Na-
peague pounders.

Abraham Parsons, David Hedges, Jr., Jonathan S. Conklin, commissioners of common schools.

Abel Huntington, Nathaniel Dominy, Samuel Mulford, Ebenezer Phillips, David VanScoy, David Talmage, inspectors of common schools.

Ezekiel Payne, Enoch Fithian, Harvey Conklin, Jacob O. Hopping, John Hand, beach pounders.

Horace Isaacs, Samuel Miller, William H. Babcock, Richard Lester, Joseph Marvin Conklin, sheep and swine pounders

Voted 1st. That the sum of six hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor for the ensuing year.

Voted 2d. That the trustees of the town hire out the pews of the meeting house, and apply the avails thereof towards the payment of Mr. Phillip's salary.

3d. That this town will raise, by a tax, a sum equal to the sum allotted to this town of the common school fund, and that the supervisor of this town be hereby directed to levy on the said town at the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors, the sum required by the act entitled an act for the support of common schools, passed the 19th day of June, 1812, to entitle this town to its proportion of the interest of the said fund to be distributed.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons or highways of this town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, and the owner or owners of all such sheep shall pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees of the town.

5th. That all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or on the beach on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of this town at any time between the twelfth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners to pay fifty cents for each horse or neat beast so impounded.

6th. That Mr. Joseph Dimon procure for himself a dinner on Sundays at the expense of the town for services rendered

in leading the music in the congregation, and that the front seats in the galleries of the meeting house be appropriated exclusively for the singers.

7th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for one year to mow, but not to be pastured, and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the same was hired out as follows :

	£	s	d
Eastermost lot No. 6 to Burnet Conklin	1	1	0
5 to Sherry Conklin	1	4	0
4 to Isaac Dimon	1	8	6
3 to Henry Conklin	2	1	0
2 to Capt. Jonathan Fithian	2	5	0
1 to Augustus Bennett	2	4	0
Lot eastward of the above to Capt. Mulford Hand	1	6	0
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	£11	9	6

Voted 8th. That the Trustees of the town repair the school house belonging to said town.

9th, That the sum of thirty-five dollars be raised the ensuing year, and applied towards the education of Josep Osborn, son of Cornelius Osborn, late of this town, deceased.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday, in April, 1818, at 12 o'clock, noon.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees of this town shall have full power and authority to transact the business relative to the land of Montauk in behalf of the said proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting as usual.

Marks, 83.—Abraham Leek, Jr., enters for his ear mark a hollow crop off each ear, and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded the 28th day of July, 1817, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 105.—A RECORD OF STRAYS, 1818.—Taken up by Henry Chatfield a white ram with a crop off each ear and a half penny on the upper side of each, two or three years old. Entered January 12th, 1818, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, 42.—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1818, the town officers and the votes and town laws were passed as follows :

Abraham Parsons were chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin, supervisor.

James Hand, John Stratton, Jonathan S. Conklin, David Talmage, Isaac Barns, assessors.

Isaac Edwards, Abraham Parsons, Jonathan S. Conklin, commissioners of highways.

Isaac Wickham, Nathaniel Dominy, overseers of poor.

Jeremiah W. Gardiner, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., constables.

Sherry Conklin, collector to pay 47 dollars.

Abraham Parsons, Jonathan S. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., commissioners of common schools.

Ebenezer Phillips, Nathaniel Dominy, David VanScoy, Abel Huntington, Samuel Mulford, David Talmage, inspectors of common schools.

Jeremiah Huntting, Edward Mulford, Huntting Miller, Joseph Barns, David Barns, Ananias Baker, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Abraham M. Smith, Jonathan S. Conklin, Timothy Miller, David VanScoy, Elisha Conklin, trustees.

Samuel Miller, Samuel Mulford, Samuel Ranger, Jonathan Barns, Jr., Jacob Hopping, Nathaniel Huntting, Joseph Edwards, David Sherry, John Miller, Silas Payne, overseers of highways.

Abraham Osborn, David Hedges, Joseph Edwards, Isaac Barns, Dering Ranger, Augustus Bennett, John Hedges

William Mulford, Lewis Edwards, Jonathan Barns, Samue Ranger, Jonathan Barns, Samuel Ranger, Jonathan Osborn, Jr., Jacob Hopping, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., Mulford Parsons, David Baker, Samuel Ranger, pound masters.

Samuel Conklin, Jeremiah Mulford, Thomas Edwards, Napeague pounders.

Sherry Conklin, Barns Edwards, Joseph Hicks, Enoch Fithian, Stephen Hedges, Jr., beach pounders.

Stephen Hedges, Jr., Samuel Osborn, Abraham M. Smith, Nathaniel Hand, Jr., David Sherril, Stephen Hedges, Jonathan H. Stratton, Silvester Fields, Silvester Schellinger, sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That six hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor for the year ensuing, and the yards of Mulford Parsons and Samuel Ranger be deemed lawful pounds.

2d. That Nathaniel Dominy be the sealer of weights and measures for this town for the year ensuing, agreeable to the statute in such case made and provided.

3d. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town or highways of said town after the twentieth of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees of the town.

4th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or on the beach, on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such neat

cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such cattle or horses so impounded.

5th. That the proposition made by Joseph Osborn, (son of Cornelius Osborn, deceased,) relative to his future support, be referred to the trustees of town, and that they act thereon as they shall deem expedient.

6th. That the expenses necessary to enable Polly, the widow of Jeremiah Talmage, deceased, to attend the Court of Sessions to procure a bill of indictment against a mulatto man by the name of Emanuel Enos, be defrayed by the town.

7th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for one year to mow but not to pasture, and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the same was hired out as follows:

	£	s	d
Eastermost lot No. 6 to David Baker	0	18	0
5 to Sherry Conklin	X0	15	0
4 to Isaac Dimon	X1	1	0
3 to Joseph Dimon	1	7	0
2 to Abraham Huntting	X0	19	0
1 to Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	X1	7	6
Lot eastward of the above to David Conklin,	0	15	0
Grass at Georgica to Isaac Dimon	X0	10	6
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	£7	13	0

Adjourned to the first Tuesday in April next, 1819, at 12 o'clock noon.

ABRAHAM PARSONS Town Clerk.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk, that the Trustees of this town shall have full power and authority to transact the business relative to the land of Montauk in behalf of the said proprietors from this day until the next annual town meeting, as usual.

Marks 83.—William Conklin enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear and a nick under it, and a hollow crop off the right ear. Recorded the 9th day of April, 1818, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jonathan King enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of the right ear, and a crop off each ear. Recorded the 9th of April, 1818, by
ABRAHAM PARSGNS, Town Clerk.

Baldwin C. Talmage enters for his ear mark a square crop off each ear, and a half penny under the left left ear. Recorded the 22d of May, 1818, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Daniel Hopping enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of each ear, and an half penny under the left ear. Recorded the 3d day of June, 1818, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Miller Dayton enters for his ear mark a hole in each ear. Recorded the 22d day of March, 1819, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 44½.—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1819, the town officers were chosen, the votes and town laws were passed, as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin, supervisor.

Isaac Edwards, Abraham Parsons, Elisha Osborn, Samuel Mulford, Samuel Miller, assessors.

Edwards Mulford John Stratton, overseers of the poor.

Jeremiah W. Gardiner, Silas Payne, constables.

Sherry Conklin, collector, to pay 20 dollars

Jonathan S. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., Abraham Parsons, commissioners of common schools.

Isaac Edwards, Jonathan S. Conklin, Abraham Parsons, commissioners of highways.

Ebenezer Phillips, Samuel Mulford, David VanScoy, Abel Huntington, Nathaniel Dominy, David Talmage, inspectors of common schools.

David Talmage, Nathaniel Huntting, Stephen Hedges, David Hedges, Jr., Eli Parsons, Jr., Josiah Dayton, Isaac Barns, James Strong, Jonathan H. Stratton, Samuel Miller, Samuel Osborn, Nathaniel Hand, Jr., trustees.

Sylvanus Parsons, Simon Conklin, Samuel Miller, Hedges Conklin, Abraham VanScoy, John Miller, Ambrose Parsons, Joseph M. Conklin, Silas Payne, overseers of highways.

Mulford Parsons, Samuel Osborn, Jonathan H. Stratton, Benjamin Conklin, John Stratton, David Talmage, John Hedges, David Hedges, Thomas Edwards, Abraham Huntting James Hand, Elisha Osborn, Jr., fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., Sherry Conklin, Mulford Parsons, Samuel Ranger, pound masters.

David Edwards, Samuel Edwards, Samuel Isaacs, Napeague pounders.

Joseph Hicks, Joseph Barns, Sherry Conklin, Daniel Osborn, Enoch Fithian, beach pounders.

Richard Lester, Aaron F. Conklin, Jeremiah Baker, Aaron Fithian, Augustus Bennet, Jr., sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That six hundred dollars be raised by tax for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house, and the moneys arising therefrom, be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillip's salary.

3d. That the meeting house be repaired, and that the trustees be vested with authority to repair the same.

4th. That Jeremiah W. Gardiner be paid seven dollars out

of the money of this town as a partial compensation for his services as constable.

5th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the town commons of this town, or on the highways of the said town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd to be approved of by the trustees of the town.

6th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague. or on the beach on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such neat cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such cattle or horses so impounded.

7th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out for one year to mow but not to pasture, and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the same was hired out as follows, and payment to be made for the same on the first day of Sept. next ensuing :

	£	s	d
Eastermost lot No 6 to Ezekiel Payne	X0	18	0
5 to Sherry Conklin	X1	3	0
4 to David Edwards	X1	3	0
3 to David Edwards	X1	1	0
2 to John Miller	X1	1	6
1 to Samuel Conklin, Jr.,	X1	9	6
Lot eastermost of the above to David Barns, Jr.,	X0	13	6
Grass at Georgica to James Hand	0	11	0
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	£8	1	6

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1820, at 12 o'clock noon.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees of this town shall have full power and authority to transact the business relative to the land of Montauk, in behalf of the proprietors, from this day until the next annual town meeting as usual.

Marks 84.—David VanScoy enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the right ear, and a crop off the same ear and a half penny the upper side of left ear. Recorded the 27th day of April, 1819, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Silas Payne enters for his ear mark two half pennies under the left ear and one half penny on the upper side of the right ear. Recorded the 5th day of June, 1819, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Cyrus Dep enters for his ear mark a hole in the left ear and a half penny under the same ear. Recorded the 5th day of October, 1819, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 46½.—At an annual town meeting held in East-Hampton on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1820, the town officers were chosen, the votes and town laws were passed as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Edwards, Elisha Osborn, Abraham Parsons, Samuel Mulford, Samuel Miller, assessors.

Jonathan H. Stratton, Stephen Hedges, overseers of the poor.

John T Dayton, constable.

John T. Dayton, collector, to pay \$30.25.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Abraham Parsons, David Hedges, Jr., commissioners of common schools.

Ebenezer Phillips, Miller Dayton, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., inspectors of common schools.

Isaac Edwards, Samuel Miller, Jonathan H. Stratton, commissioners of highways.

Samuel Schellinger, Lewis Edwards, Jeremiah Huntting, Huntting Miller, Nathaniel Dominy, Edward Mulford, Tal-mage Barns, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., Jonathan B. Mulford, Joseph Barns, Jeremiah Miller, Elisha H. Conklin, trustees.

Samuel Miller, Thomas Edwards, John Parsons, Jr., Isaac S. VanScoy, Jeremiah Mulford, Philetus Osborn, Ezekiel Jones, Bethuel Edwards, Abraham Osborn, Jr., overseers of highways.

Lewis Edwards, Ananias Baker, David Edwards, Elisha Osborn, Jr., Jonathan Mulford, Jr., Joseph Edwards, Philetus Osborn, Josoph Barns, James Hand, John Hedges, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., David Baker, Mulford Parsons, Elisha Osborn, Jr., pound masters.

Jonathan Barns, Isaac Barns, Samuel Parsons, Jr., Na-pegue pounders.

Aaron Fithian, Charles R. Hand, Sherril Conklin, Henry D. Stratton, Jacob Hopping, beach pounders.

Gardiner Miller, John Baker, Charles Conkliu, David Lester, sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That the yards of Mulford Parsons, David Baker and Elisha Osborn, Jr., be public pounds.

2d. That six hundred dollars be raised, by tax, for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

3d. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house and the money arising therefrom be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the town commons of this town, or on the highways of the same after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd to be approved of by the trustees of the town.

5th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or on the beaches one the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such cattle or horses so impounded.

6th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland, be hired out for one year to mow but not to pasture; and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the same was hired out, as follows, and payment to be made for the same on the first day of September next ensuing:

	£	s	d
Eastermost lot No. 6 to Gardiner Miller	1	8	0
5 to Burnet Conklin	1	9	0
4 to Gardiner Miller,	1	8	6
3 to Simeon Conklin	X1	7	6
2 to Talmage Barns	1	8	0
1 to Sherril Conklin	2	2	0
Lot eastwards of the above to Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	1	0	0
Grass at Georgica to Thomas Strong		17	3
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	£11	0	3

Account of Jeremiah Lopers, Montauk, hired out by the town, payable the first day of Dec. next :

Josiah Mulford,	1	beast	right	0	8	0
Josiah Mulford,	1	do	do	0	7	8
Jeremiah Bennett,	1	do	do	0	7	1
Jeremiah Bennett,	1	do	do	0	7	3
$\frac{3}{4}$ of a right in the field				0	17	0

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1821, at 12 o'clock, noon.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk, that the trustees of this town shall have full power and authority to transact the business relative to the land of Montauk in behalf of the proprietors from this day until the next annual town meeting.

Marks 84.—David VanScoy enters the following ear mark for his son, David B. VanScoy, which he bought of Nathan Mulford, at Patchogue, which said mark is recorded to Edward Mulford in this book, page 31, to wit, a half penny on each side of each ear. Recorded June 2, 1820, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 188.—Whereas application has been made to us, the subscribers, commissioners of highways, for the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk, by Jeremiah Osborn, to alter the highway that lays between the lands of Jeremiah Dayton and Samuel Parsons and that of Capt. David Hedges and Samuel Dayton, therefore we, the subscribers, commissioners of highways for the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk, having viewed and examined the said highway and deem it necessary and proper that the same should remain, and continue as a public high-

way in pursuance of the act entitled "an act to regulate highways," passed March 19th, 1813, beginning at the Fire-place highway and running between the land of Capt. David Hedges and that of Samuel Dayton on the south, and the land of Samuel Parsons and Jeremiah Dayton on the north, the said highway to be and remain four rods wide the whole length of the same. And we, the commissioners, do hereby authorize the Town Clerk of the said town to make a record hereof, according to law.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands the ninth day of June, 1820.

SAMUEL MILLER,

JONATHAN H. STRATTON,

Commissioners of highways.

Recorded this ninth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and twenty by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks, 84.—Capt. David Hedges enters the following ear mark for his son Stafford Hedges, which he bought of Nathaniel Baker previous to his removing from his town to wit: a half penny under the right ear and a nick under the left ear. Recorded June 13th, 1820.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Capt. David Hedges enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear, which he says he bought of the widow Mehetable Baker. Recorded June 13th, 1820.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

85.—Paul Halsey, Jr., of Bridge-Hampton enters for his ear mark a square crop of the right ear and a half penny under the left, and a slope over the left ear. Recorded the 28th day of November, 1820, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

David Cook, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear, and a nick on the upper side of the right ear. Recorded the 10th day of February, 1821, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jesse Strong enters for his ear mark a hollow crop of the right, and a nick under the left ear. Recorded the 20th day of February, 1821, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 48½.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house, in the town of East Hampton, on Tuesday the 3d day of April, 1821, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws were passed as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen town clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Edwards, Samuel Mulford, Jonathan S. Conklin, Elisha Osborn, Abraham Parsons, chosen assessors.

Isaac Edwards, Jonathan S. Conklin, Abraham Parsons, chosen commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Huntting, Nathaniel Huntting, overseers of the poor.

John T. Dayton, constable.

John T. Dayton, collector, to collect for 3 per cent.

Ebenezer Phillips, Jonathan S. Conklin, Abraham Parsons, commissioners of common schools.

Nathaniel Dominy, David Hedges, Jr., Jeremiah Huntting, inspectors of common schools.

Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Nathaniel Huntting, David Hedges, Jr., Jonathan S. Conklin, Stephen Hedges, Samuel Edwards, Jonathan H. Stratton, David VanScoy, Samuel C. Miller, William D. Parsons, David Barns, Zephaniah Hedges, trustees.

Isaac S. V. Scoy, Harvey Osborn, John Parsons, Jr., Jacob

Osborn, Samuel Schellinger, Horace Isaacs, James Strong, John Dimon, Jr., John Hedges, Elijah Simons, Joseph Barns, Jr., overseers of highways.

Benjamin Conklin, Harvey Conklin, Samuel Mulford, Baldwin C. Talmage, Jonathan C. Stratton, Jeremiah Mulford, Elisha H. Conklin, Sylvanus Strong, Asa Miller, Robert Parsons, Abraham Huntting, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., Mulford Parsons, Samuel Ranger, Elisha Osborn, pound masters.

Harvey Osborn, Jeremiah Mulford, Richard Lester, Joseph Hicks, Jacob Osborn, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., David Conklin, Napeague pounders.

Jonathan Barns, Jr., Sherry Conklin, Joseph Dimon, Enoch Fithian, Harvey Conklin, beach pounders.

Richard Lester, Jonathan Barns, Jr., Thomas T. Hedges, Abram V. Scoy, Jonathan D. Tuthill, Henry D. Stratton, Gardiner Miller, Benjamin Bennett, Ezekiel Mulford, William Hedges, sheep and swine pounders.

1st. Voted that the yards of Mulford Parsons and Samuel Ranger be public pounds. Also the yard of Elisha Osborn.

2d. That seven hundred dollars be raised by tax for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

3d. That Nathaniel Dominy be sealer of weights and measures for this town, agreeably to a statute of this state in such case made and provided.

4th. That the trustees hire out the pews in the meeting house and the money arising therefrom be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary.

5th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town, or on the highways of the same, after the twentieth of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such

sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd, to be approved of by the trustees of this town.

6th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or on any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such neat cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such cattle or horses so impounded.

7th. That if any person or persons shall hire out or give liberty to any other person or persons not inhabitants of this town nor having any right in the commons of the same. any privilege or liberty to dig, catch or take any clams, fish or eels, in any of the bays, creeks, or ponds, belonging to this town, he, she or they so offending shall forfeit and pay for every such offense, the sum of five dollars, to be recovered with costs of suit in any court having cognizance thereof, and one dollar per bushel for every bushel of clams so dug or caught, the one half of which forfeiture when recovered shall go to the person or persons who shall prosecute the same to effect, and the other half to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town for the use of the poor of the same.

8th. That the bill which Dr. Abel Huntington has against Edward Bennet, Jr., and Nancy Bennet, deceased, for medical services, be paid by this town.

9th. That all the meadow grass between Indian Well and the foot of Highland be hired out for one year, to mow but not to pasture, and also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the same was hired out as follows, and payment to be made for the same on the first day of September next ensuing.

	£	s	d
Eastermost lot, No. 6, Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	0	19	0
“ “ “ 5, David Edwards,	X1	0	0
“ “ “ 4, Henry Conklin,	X1	1	6
“ “ “ 3, Jeremiah Mulford,	X1	1	0
“ “ “ 2, Henry Conklin,	X0	17	6
“ “ “ 1, David Edwards,	X1	0	6
Lot Eastermost of the above David Conklin,	0	13	0
“ “ “ “ David Baker,	0	17	0
Sedge flat at Acabonac, Samuel Bennett,	1	10	0

By cash in part, Dec. 18th, 1821.

Due from Samuel Bennett, 10

Account of Jeremiah Loper, Montauk, hired out by the town, payable the first day of December next.

	£	s	d
Jeremiah Terry, 1 beast right,	X0	4	0
John Dimon, 1 do. do.	0	6	0
Jeremiah Terry, 1 do. do.	X0	5	0
John Miller, 1 do. do.	0	5	0
Joseph Dimon, $\frac{3}{4}$ right in the field,	X0	16	0

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1822, at twelve o'clock, noon.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk, that the trustees of this town shall have full power and authority to transact the business relative to Montauk, in behalf of the proprietors of the said Montauk, from this day until the next annual town meeting.

Marks 85.—Jonathan Mulford, Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear, which he bought of Abraham M. Smith, Esq., and it is the mark which Abraham Miller, Esq., deceased, used in his life time. Recorded the 4th day of April, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 86.—Jonathan Mulford, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear, and a half penny underside of the same ear, which he says he purchased of Elisha Mulford when he removed from East-Hampton. Recorded the 4th day of April, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Nathaniel Baker enters for his grandson, Jeremiah Baker, the following ear mark, viz: a crop off the right ear and a half penny on each side of the same ear. Recorded the 12th day of April, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Schellinger enters for his son, Jonathan Schellinger, Jr., the following ear mark, a half penny on the upper side of each ear and a slope under the left ear. Recorded the 17th day of April, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Richard Lester enters for his ear mark an ell under the left ear and a nick under the right, which mark he says he bought of Capt. Jeremiah W. Gardiner. Recorded the 27th day of April, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 87.—Elisha Osborn enters for his ear mark a slit in each ear and a half penny under each ear. Recorded April 27th, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Nathan C. Barnes enters for his ear mark an ell over the right ear, and a slope under the left, and a half penny over the left ear. Recorded May 15th, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Joseph Barnes, Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell over the right ear, and a slope under the left ear and a half penny under the right. Recorded May 15th, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Eli Barnes, enters for his ear mark an ell over the left ear, and a slope under the right ear. Recorded May 15th, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jonathan Schellinger enters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear, and a half penny over it, and a crop off the right ear. Recorded May 15, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks SS.—Eli Barnes enters for his ear mark a cropped ell over the left ear and a slope under the right ear. Recorded May 16th, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Eli Barnes enters for his ear mark an ell over the left ear, and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded the 16th day of May, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jason M. Terbell enters for his ear mark an ell over the left ear, and a slit in the ear and a slit in the same ear and a half penny under the same ear, which he says he bought of Joel Miller. Recorded the 10th day of October, 1821, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Theophilus T. Pierson, of Bridge Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear and a slit in the right. Recorded the 19th of March, 1822, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 51.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the 2d day of April, 1822, the town officers were chosen, and the votes or town laws were passed as follows, viz :

Abraham Parsons were chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin was chosen supervisor.

Isaac Edwards, Samuel Mulford, Elisha Osborn, Abraham Parsons, David Hedges, Jr., assessors.

Jeremiah Huntting, Samuel Miller, Jonathan H. Stratton, commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Huntting, Nathaniel Huntting, overseers of the poor.

John T. Dayton, constable and collector, and to have 4 per cent. for collecting the taxes.

David Gardiner, Samuel Miller, Jonathan Dayton, inspectors of common schools.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Abraham Parsons, David Hedges, commissioners of common schools.

Jonathan Dayton, Jonathan Mulford, Jr., Hunting Miller, Isaac VanScoy, David Edwards, Lewis Edwards, Henry Schellinger, Isaac Barnes, David Gardiner, Jeremiah Huntting Nathan Conklin, John Hedges, trustees.

Page 51½.—David Conklin, Samuel Osborn, Samuel Schellinger, Jacob Osborn, Isaac B. Miller, David Mulford, Patrick Gould, Asa Miller, Sylvanus Strong, Hezekiah Edwards, Jeremiah P. Bennett, overseers of highways.

Jonathan H. Stratton, Samuel King, Sherry Conklin, John Hedges, Gardiner Miller, Ambrose Parsons, Stephen Hedges, Miller Bennett, Joseph Hicks, Samuel Osborn, Elisha Osborn, James Edwards, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., Mulford Parsons, pound masters.

Samuel Edwards, Harvey Osborn, Jeremiah Dayton, Jr., Jeremiah Mulford, Samuel C. Parsons, Napeague pounders.

Jonathan Mulford, Jr., David Edwards, Isaac Barns, beach pounders.

David Sherry, Henry D. Stratton, Talmage Barns, Samuel C. Parsons, Mulford Hand, Horace Isaacs, William H. Babcock, sheep and swine pounders.

1st. Voted that Mulford Parsons' yard be a public pound.

2d. That seven hundred dollars be raised by tax for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

3d. That the trustees hire out the pews of the meeting house, and the money arising from the sales thereof be applied towards the repair of the meeting house, and those who hire pews to pay in proportion to the time in which they occupy them.

4th. That a committee of five be appointed to ascertain the quantity, situation and estimated value of the common lands belonging to this town, and report thereon at the next annual town meeting, and that Jonathan Dayton, David Gardiner, Isaac Barns, David V. Scoy and James Hand, be the said committee.

5th. That the money now in the hands of the overseers of this town unappropriated, or so much thereof as may be necessary to procure the standard of weights and measures from this county for the use of this town, shall be applied for that purpose.

6th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town, or on the highways of the same, after the twentieth of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees of this town.

7th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or on any beaches

on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such neat cattle and horses, to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle and horses so impounded.

8th. That the subject of the supposed land enclosed by Mr. Jonathan Mulford, Jr., belonging to the meeting house, be referred to the committee appointed to ascertain the quantity, situation and estimate the value of the common lands belonging to this town, and in case the said committee after investigation are of the opinion that the land in question belongs to the said Mr. Mulford, they are hereby authorized to purchase the said land of him, after a fair valuation of the same is made by persons indifferently chosen by the said committee and Mr. Mulford.

9th. That all the meadow grass between Indian Well and the foot of highland, be hired out for one year to mow, but not to pasture. Also the meadow grass at Georgica, the sedge flat at Acabonac and Three Mile Harbor, and the same were hired out in following manner, and payment to be made for the same on the first day of September next.

	£	s	d
Westermot lot, No. 1, Jonathan Barns, Jr.,	1	1	0
2, John Miller	X0	18	6
3, Harvey Osborn,	X0	19	0
4, Jonathan Schellinger,	X1	0	0
5, Talmage Barns,	X1	7	6
6, Jonathan Schellenger,	X1	5	0
7, Jonathan Barns,	1	6	6
8, Harvey Osborn,	X0	9	3
Sedge flat, Acabonac, Hezekiah Edwards,	X1	8	0
Do. Three Mile Harbor, Jonathan Dayton,	X0	2	5
Meadow grass, Georgica, Samuel Osborn,	X1	7	6
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	£11	4	8

Account of Jeremiah Loper's Montauk, hired out by the freeholders and commonalty of the said town of East Hampton, payable on the first day of September next.

	£	s	d
Ebenezer Phillips, 1 beast right,	0	4	4
Josiah Mulford, Jr., do. do.	0	4	6
Josiah Mulford, Jr., do. do.	0	4	8
Nathaniel Dominy, do. do.	0	4	6
Miller Dayton $\frac{3}{4}$ right in the field,	0	17	0
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	£1	15	0

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday of April, 1823, at 12 o'clock, noon.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees of this town have full power and authority to transact the business relative to the same in behalf of the proprietors thereof, from this day until the next succeeding annual town meeting.

Marks, 89.—Capt. Benjamin Rogers, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a slope on the upper side of right ear, which he says he bought of James Sanford. Recorded April 16th, 1822, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Elisha Halsey, of Bridge Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear and an ell under the right ear, which is recorded to Lemuel Pierson on the 37th page of this book. Recorded April 16th, 1822, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 89.—Ebenezer Hedges enters for his son, Ebenezer Hedges, the following ear mark, viz: a half penny over each ear and a hole in the right. Recorded May 31st, 1822, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Thomas Strong enters for his ear mark a slit in the left ear, and a half penny on the upper side of the same ear, which he says was given to him by his father, Deacon Jacob Osborn, deceased. Recorded this 24th of Oct. 1822, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 91.—Samuel Mulford enters for his ear mark a square crop off the right ear, a slope off the left ear and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded December 22d, 1822, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 90.—Ebenezer White, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear, a hollow crop off the left ear and a hole in the same ear. Recorded the 28th day of January, 1823, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Alfred Pierson, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear and a hollow crop off each ear. Recorded the 28th of January, 1823, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 54.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house, in the town of East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the 1st day of April, 1823, the town officers were elected, and the votes or town laws were passed as follows, to wit :

Abraham Parsons was elected Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin, supervisor.

Abraham Parsons, Isaac Edwards, Isaac Barns, Samuel Miller, David VanScoy, assessors.

John T. Dayton, Jonathan S. Conklin, Samuel Miller, commissioners of highways.

David Gardiner, Jonathan S. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., commissioners of common schools.

Nathaniel Huntting, Samuel Miller, overseers of the poor.

John T. Dayton, constable and collector, to receive 4 per cent for collecting the taxes.

Eleazer Hand, Abraham Parsons, Abel Huntington, inspectors of common schools.

David Hedges, Jr., Joseph Barns, Nathaniel Huntting, Jeremiah Terry, Zephaniah Hedges, Baldwin C. Talmage, Stephen Hedges, Samuel Edwards, Jeremiah Mulford, Jonathan Fithian, Ananias Baker, David Sherry, trustees.

Samuel C. Parsons, Asa Miller, David Mulford, John Dimon, Felix Dominy, Ananias Baker, Talmage Barns, Samuel Ranger, Samuel Osborn, James Hand, overseers of highways.

Joseph Barns, Isaac Barns, David Baker, Talmage Jones, Ambrose Parsons, William D. Parsons, Abraham VanScoy, Samuel Miller, Abraham Hedges, Hezekiah Edwards, Thomas Hopping, Elisha Osborn, Eli Parsons, Joseph Miller, John Hedges, Joseph Edwards, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, jr., Nathaniel Hand, Jr., Lewis Edwards Elisha Osborn, Jr., pound masters.

William Baker, Talmage Barns, Napeague pounders.

Samuel C. Parsona, Aaron Fithian, Sherry Conklin, Jeremiah T. Parsons, beach pounders.

Henry D. Stratton, John Baker, Thomas J. Mulford, Jonathan Miller, Henry Bennett, sheep and swine pounders.

Voted 1st. That seven hundred dollars be raised by tax for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That so much of the money arising from the hire of the pews and slips as have been hired out as is necessary, be applied for the purpose of repairing the belfry, and that the trustees be authorized to superintend the same, and the residue of the said money be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary.

3d. That four slips be hired out in addition to those already hired out, (which was accordingly done) and the money for which they are hired, be applied towards painting the meeting house.

4th. That a committee of three be chosen to procure the standard of weights and measures for this town, and Samuel Miller, Nathaniel Dominy and Abel Huntington be, and they are hereby appointed the said committee.

5th. That Joshua Penny be allowed the use and privilege of the sedge which he set out on the flat, near the mouth of Three Mile Harbor, during his residence in this town.

6th. That Abraham Parsons, Jr., be authorized to repair the pound, and keep it in repair, for the year ensuing, at the expense of the town, and that money be levied and collected in the same manner that other money is levied and collected for other contingent charges of the said town.

7th. That the yards of Lewis Edwards, Nathaniel Hand, Jr., and Elisha Osborn, Jr., be public pounds.

8th. That lots numbers 7 and 8 on Napeague, or the glades so called, which have heretofore been hired out, be referred to the trustees to proceed, in relation to the same, as they may deem expedient

9th. That the width and boundaries of the town street be ascertained, in order to know whether encroachments have been made on the same or not.

10th. That the trustees be requested to take care of the meeting house and see that no injury be done it, and prosecute all persons who shall do any injury to the said house in any way or manner. Also employ some suitable person to attend to the shutting of the doors and windows of the same, after meetings.

11th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of

sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town, or on the highways of the same, after the twentieth day of this month, until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees of this town.

12th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such horses and neat cattle to pay fifty cents per head for all such horses and neat cattle so impounded.

13th. That all the meadow grass between Indian Well and the foot of Highlands, be hired out to mow for one year, and not to pasture. Also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the sedge flat at Acabonac, and the same was hired out accordingly, and in the following manner, and payment to be made on the first day of September next.

Westermot lot No. 1, Talmage Barnes,	\$2.25
2, Isaac Barns,	1.80
3, Thomas Edwards,	4.02
4, Abraham Parson, Jr.	3.62
5, Simon Conklin,	5.10
6, Henry Conklin,	5.02
Sedge flat at Acabonac, Ambrose Parsons,	5.00
Meadow grass, Georgica, John Hedges,	3.35

\$30.16

Account of Jeremiah Loper's Montauk which was hired out on Tuesday April 1st, 1823, by the freeholders and common-

alty of the town of East Hampton, and payment on the first day of September next.

Joseph Dimon, 1 beast right, outside, paid,	.50
Joseph Dimon, 1 do. do. paid,	.52
Merry Parsons, 1 do. do. paid,	.53
Philetus Osborn, 1 do. do. paid,	.53
Jonathan Osborn, Jr., $\frac{3}{4}$ right in the field,	2.06

\$4.14

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1824, at 12 o'clock, noon.

Voled by the proprietors of the land of Montauk that the trustees of the town have full power and authority to transact the business in relation to the said Montauk, and in behalf of the proprietors thereof from this day until the next annual town meeting.

Marks, 90.—Bethuel Edwards enters for his ear mark a slope over the left ear and a slit in the right and a half penny under the same ear. Recorded the 8th day of April, 1823, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Thomas Filer enters for his ear mark a crop of the left ear, and a half penny the under side of the same ear, and an ell the under side of the right ear, which was given to the said Filer by David Mulford, which is recorded to the said Mulford, March 19th, 1807. Recorded April 8th, 1823, by
ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Capt. David VanScoy enters the following ear mark for his grandson Henry L. VanScoy, to wit, a square crop of the right ear, an ell upper side of the same, a square crop of the left ear and a half penny upper side of same ear. Recorded the 1st day of June, 1823, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

91.—John King the 3d enters for earmark a hollow crop of each ear and a half penny over the left. Recorded June 6th, 1823, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 194.—We the subscribers, overseers of the poor of the town of East Hampton, in the county of Suffolk, and State of New York, do hereby certify that Dick, a negro slave to Fanny Mulford, Hannah Sleight and Cornelius Sleight, of the town of East Hampton, county and state aforesaid, and Sophia Sayre, of the town of Southampton, of the county and state aforesaid, heirs of William I. Rysam, appears to be under the age of forty-five years and of sufficient ability to provide for himself.

Dated in East Hampton this first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three.

Overseers of the Poor.

I do hereby certify that the above certificates are true copies of the original, recorded this first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 194.—We, the subscribers, overseers of the poor of the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk and State of New-York, do hereby certify that Thomas, a negro slave, to Fanny Mulford, Hannah Sleight and Cornelius Sleight, of the town of East-Hampton, of the County and State aforesaid, and Sophia Sayre, of the town of Southampton, county and state aforesaid, heirs of William I. Rysam, appears to be under the age of forty-five years of age, and of sufficient ability to provide for himself.

Dated in East-Hampton, October the first day, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three.

Overseers of the poor.

Marks 91.—Samuel Schellinger enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of the right ear, a slope under the same, and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear. Recorded February the 19th, 1824, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Smith Miller enters for his ear mark a cropped ell, the ell on the upper side of the right ear. Recorded March the 19th, 1824.

Book H, page 56½.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1824, the town officers were chosen and the votes or town laws were passed as follows :

Abraham Parson was chosen Town Clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin, supervisor.

Isaac Barns, Samuel Miller, Abraham Parsons, Isaac Edwards, Elisha H. Conklin, assessors.

Isaac B. Miller, Samuel Miller, David Hedges, Jr., commissioners of highways.

Samuel Miller, Nathaniel Huntting, overseers of the poor.

Charles R. Hand, constable and collector, and to collect the taxes for 3 per cent.

Abel Huntington, Jonathan S. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., commissioners of common schools.

Abraham Parsons, Ebenezer Phillips, Nathaniel Dominy, inspectors of common schools.

Elisha H. Conklin, Jonathan H. Stratton, Abraham Parsons, Samuel Miller, David VanScoy, Lewis Edwards, Jeremiah Huntting, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Jeremiah Dayton, Huntting Miller, Nathaniel Hand, Isaac Barns, trustees.

Stephen Sherry, Sherry Conklin, Henry P. Terry, Silas Payne, Benjamin Hedges, David Sherry, Asa Miller, Zephaniah Hedges, Ezra Miller, John T. Dayton, Burnet Conklin, overseers of highways.

Jonathan Fithian, Malines Osborn, Isaac Barns, William Mulford, Elisha H. Conklin, Jonathan Schellinger, Asa Miller, Eli Parsons, Jeremiah Mulford, John T. Dayton, Joseph Dimon, Abraham VanScoy, Mulford Parsons, Abraham Osborn, Samuel Osborn, Joseph Edwards, John Stratton, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., Lewis Edwards, David Baker, Elisha Osborn, Jr., pound masters.

Jeremiah T. Parsons, Aaron Fithian, Harvey Osborn, Na-
peague pounders.

David Edwards, Jacob Osborn, Jacob Hopping, Jonathan Barns, beach pounders.

John Stratton, Miller Dayton, Mulford Hand, John Dimon, Jr., Nathaniel Hand, Thomas Hopping, sheep and swine pounders.

1st. That seven hundred dollars be raised by tax for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the same number of the pews and slips in the meeting house be hired as they were the last year, and the money arising therefrom, be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary after paying the necessary expenses for the repairs of the meeting house, and that the trustees superintend the same.

3d. Voted that the trustees be requested to rescind the vote that was taken at our last annual town meeting, relative to Joshua Penny, respecting the sedge flat near the mouth of Three Mile Harbor, and that this meeting does not approve of the trustees selling common land or highways at a fair valuation.

4th. Voted that Abraham Parsons, Jr., be authorized to repair the pound and keep in repair for the year ensuing, at the expense of the town, and that money be levied and collected in the same manner as other money is levied and collected for other contingent charges of the said town.

5th. Voted that the yards of Lewis Edwards, Nathaniel Hand, David Baker, and Elisha Osborn, Jr., be public pounds

6th. Voted that the trustees be requested to take care of the meeting house and see that no injury be done it, and that they prosecute all persons who shall do injury to the said house in any manner whatever. Also employ some suitable person to attend to the shutting the doors and windows of the same, and ringing the bell.

7th. Voted that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town, or on the highways of the same, after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

8th. Voted that all horses and neat cattle that are found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next, ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses and neat cattle to pay fifty cents per head for all such horses and neat cattle so impounded.

9th. Voted that the supervisor of this town be required to collect all debts due the same.

10th. Voted that all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland be hired out to mow for one year, and not to pasture. Also the meadow grass at Georgica and the sedge flat at Accabonac, and the same were hired out accordingly, and in the following manner, and payment to be made on the first day of September next:

Westermot lot No 1 Burnet Conklin, paid	\$1.12½
2, Jonathan Schellinger,	X1.00
3, Jonathan H. Stratton,	X1.53
4, John Miller, paid	2.40
5, Talmage Barns, paid	2.75
6, Abraham Parsons, Jr.,	X2.60
Sedge flat, Accabonac, Baldwin C. Talmage	X3.10
Meadow grass, Georgica, Abraham Osborn, paid	1.20

Account of Jeremiah Lopers', Montauk, hired out on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1824, by the freeholders and commonalty of the town of East-Hampton, and payment to be made on the first day of September next.

1 beast right outside, Samuel Miller, paid	.42
1 " " " Merry Parsons, paid	.40
1 " " " Samuel Miller, paid	.38
1 " " " Merry Parsons, paid	.38
¾ right in the field Isaac Edwards, paid	1.70

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next 1826, at 12 o'clock, meridian.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees of the town have full power and authority to transact the business relative to the said Montauk, and in behalf of the proprietors thereof. from this day until our next annual town meeting.

At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on the 5th day of April, 1825, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen town clerk.

Jonathan S. Conklin, supervisor.

Isaac Edwards, Isaac Barns, Samuel Miller, Elisha H. Conklin, Abraham Parsons, assessors.

Samuel Miller, Jonathan H. Stratton, Mulford Hand, commissioners of highways.

Samuel Miller, Nathaniel Huntting, overseers of the poor.

Charles R. Hand, Horace Isaacs, constables.

Charles R. Hand, collector, to collect for 3 per cent.

Abel Huntington, Ebenezer Phillips, Jonathan S. Conklin, commissioners of common schools.

Mulford Hand, Samuel Miller, Abraham Parsons, inspectors of common schools.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Thomas J. Mulford, Elisha Osborn, Jr., Talmage Barns, Jeremiah Mulford, David Edwards, Eli Parsons, William Mulford, Josiah C. Dayton, Stephen Hedges. Asa Miller, Nathaniel Huntting, trustees.

Joseph Osborn, Jr., Burnet Conklin, Elisha Osborn, Jr., Stephen Ranger, Samuel Osborn, Charles R. Hand, Mulford Parsons, Jeremiah Mulford, John Dimon, Abraham VanScoy, overseers of highways.

Jonathan Schellinger, Harvey Osborn, Bethuel Edwards, Thomas Hopping, Miller Bennett, Joseph Miller, Baldwin C. Talmage, Josiah Mulford, Jr., Ananias Baker, Elisha H. Conklin, Hezekiah Edwards, Miller King, Sylvanus Parsons, William D. Parsons, Jared Cook, fence viewers.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., Baldwin C. Talmage, Nathaniel Hand, Nathan Conklin, pound masters.

Aaron Fithian, Jeremiah T. Parsons, Samuel C. Parsons, Napeague pounders.

Charles Conklin, Jacob Hopping, Elisha Osborn, Jr., Ezekiel Miller, Samuel Schellinger, beach pounders.

Nathaniel Hand, Isaac Hopping, Jacob Osborn, Henry H. Parsons, John Stratton, Elisha Mott, Mulford Hand, James Mulford, Lester Bennet, Jr., Abraham King, sheep and swine pounders.

Voted. That the yards of Nathaniel Hand, Elisha Conklin and Baldwin C. Talmage be public pounds.

1st. Voted that seven hundred dollars be levied and raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. Voted that the same number of pews and slips in the meeting house be hired out as they were hired out the last year and the money arising therefrom to be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary, after paying the necessary, expenses for the repairs of the meeting house under the superintendence of the trustees.

3d. Voted that Abraham Parsons, Jr., be authorized to repair the pound and keep it in repair for the year ensuing, at the expense of the town, and that money be levied and collected in the same manner as other money is levied and collected for other contingent charges of the said town.

4th. Voted that the trustees be requested to take care of the meeting house and see that no injury be done it, and prosecute all persons who shall do injury to the said house in any manner whatever, also employ some suitable person to attend to the shutting of the doors and windows of the said house, to sweeping the same, and ringing the bell.

5th voted. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town or on the highways of the same after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded; the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

6th. That all horses and neat cattle that are found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses or neat cattle to pay fifty cents per head for all such horses or neat cattle so impounded.

7th. That if any person or persons, not inhabitants of this

town, or not having right in the commons of this town, shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds belonging to the same, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offense, forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars and eighteen cents for every dozen so caught, to be recovered, with costs of suit in any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute the same to effect, the one half of which forfeiture, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor, for the use of the poor of this town and the other half to the person or person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

8th. That the horses, cattle and sheep run at large on the common land and highways of this town as they have heretofore been permitted to run.

9th. That the money for which the public grass of this town is hired out be paid to the Town Clerk of the said town.

10. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland. Also three other lots of meadow grass to the eastward of highland on the south side of the Montauk road. Also the meadow grass at Georgica, and the sedge flat at Acabonac, and the same were hired out accordingly, and in the following manner, and payment to be made on the first day of September next :

Westernmost Lot No. 1,	Talmage Barnes	\$1.60
"	" 2, Jonathan Schellinger,	X1.82
"	" 3, Samuel Schellinger,	1.70
"	" 4, Abraham Parsons, Jr.,	X1.89
"	" 5, Jonathan Schellinger,	2.50
"	" 6, David Edwards,	2.05
"	" 7, Nathan Miller,	1.25
"	" 8, Charles Conklin,	1.00
"	" 9, Charles Conklin	.60

Sedge flat, Acabonac, Jonathan H. Stratton, X3.20

Meadow grass, Georgica, Samuel Osborn, X2.05

Account of Jeremiah Lopers, Montauk, which was hired out on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1825, by the inhabitants, freeholders and commonalty of the town of East-Hampton, and payment to be made on the first day of September next.

1 beast right outside, Samuel Osborn, .40

1 " " " Samuel Osborn, .40

1 " " " Samuel Osborn, .41

1 " " " Abraham Payne, .41

$\frac{3}{4}$ of right in the field David A. Miller, .76

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1826, at the meeting house in this town, at 12 o'clock noon.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees of this town have full power and authority to transact the business relative to the said Montauk, and in behalf of the proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting.

Marks, 91.—Daniel Dayton enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear, and a half penny under the right ear which he says was given to him by Abraham S. Gardiner which is recorded to David Gardiner on the 29th page of this book, July 16th, 1744. Recorded the 4th of May, 1825, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks, 92.—Captain Benjamin Rogers, of Bridge-Hampton enters the following ear mark for his son Harry Rogers, to wit: a slope off the upper side of the right ear, and a half penny over the left ear. Recorded the 6th day of May, 1825, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Mulford Parsons enters for his son, Elias M. Parsons, the following ear mark (to wit) a crop off the right ear and a half penny under the same and a crop of the left ear and a half penny over it. Recorded the 7th day of July, 1825, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Nathan M. Terbell enters for his ear mark a cropped ell on the upper side of the right ear and a hole on the left ear. Recorded the 8th day of July, 1825, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Abraham H. Sandford, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of each ear and a slope on the under side of each of the same ears. Recorded the 27th day of November, 1825, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

David Barns enters for his ear mark an ell over the left ear and under the right ear. Recorded the 7th day of January, 1826. by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 105.—Taken up by Benjamin I. Miller, a pied two year old heifer marked with a crop off the right ear and a half penny over the same, and ell under the left ear. Recorded January 7th, 1826 by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 62.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton on the 4th day

of April, 1826, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows :

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

David Hedges, Jr., was chosen supervisor.

David Hedges, Jr., Zephaniah Hedges, Isaac Barnes, Samuel Miller, Jonathan H. Stratton, Assessors.

Abraham Parsons, William D. Parsons, Samuel Miller, commissioners of highways.

Jeremiah Huntting, Daniel Osborn, overseers of the poor.

Charles R. Hand, Isaac S. VanScoy, Silas Payne, constables
Charles R. Hand, collector.

Abel Huntington, Abraham Parsons, Ebenezer Phillips, commissioners of common schools.

David Hedges, Jr., Jonathan Osborn, Jr., Abraham Hedges, John T. Dayton, Samuel L. Mulford, Jonathan H. Stratton, Silvanus Parsons, William D. Parsons, William Hedges, Isaac Barnes, Jonathan B. Mulford, Samuel Miller, trustees.

Abel Huntington, David Hedges, Jr., Daniel Dayton, inspectors of common schools.

Jeremiah T. Parsons, John Parsons, James Edwards, Daniel Dayton, Samuel Edwards, Thomas J. Mulford, Samuel Miller, Stephen Ranger, John Dimon, overseers of highways.

William Mulford, Isaac Edwards, John Stratton, Talmage Jones, Abraham VanScoy, Elisha H. Conklin, Nathaniel B. Barnes, Timothy Miller, Henry Edwards, Ananias Baker, Jacob Hopping, Henry P. Terry, fence viewers.

Jeremiah T. Parsons, Baldwin C. Talmage, Samuel L. Mulford, Jacob Hopping, pound masters.

Thomas B. Hand, Aaron Fithian, Henry Schellinger, Joseph Barnes, Jr., Napeague pounders.

Zephaniah Hedges, William Baker, Samuel L. Mulford, Abraham Osborn, Jr., Thomas B. Hand, beach pounders.

John King, 3d., Stephen Sherry, Jeremiah T. Parsons,

Benjamin Bennet, Eleazer Miller, Jr., Charles R. Hand, Burnet Conklin, Nathan Conklin, sheep and swine pounders.

1st voted. That the sum of seven hundred dollars be levied and collected for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the same number of pews and slips in the meeting house be hired out as were hired out last year, and the money arising therefrom, to be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary, after paying the necessary expenses for the repairs of the meeting house and that it be under the direction of the trustees.

3d, That the trustees be requested to take care of the meeting house and see that no injury be done to it, and prosecute all persons who shall do injury to the same in any manner whatever, also employ some suitable person to attend to the shutting of the doors and windows of the said house, to sweeping the same and ringing the bell.

4th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons or highways of the same after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

5th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth day of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all

such horses or neat cattle to pay fifty cents per head for all such horses or neat cattle so impounded.

6th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town or not having right in the commons of the same, shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds of this town, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, and the sum of eighteen cents for each and every dozen so caught, to be recovered, with costs of suit, in any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who will prosecute the same to effect, the one-half of which forfeiture, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the use of the poor of this town, and the other half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

7th. That the horses, cattle and sheep run at large on the common land and highways of this town as they have heretofore been permitted so to run,

8th. That the money which the public grass of this town is hired out for to be paid to the town clerk.

9th. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland. Also three other lots of meadow grass to the eastward of highlands, on the south side of the Montauk road, also the meadow grass at Georgica and the sedge flat at Accabonac, and the same were hired out accordingly, and in the following manner, and payment to be made on the first day of September, next:

Westermmost lot No. 1, Jeremiah King	\$1.76
2, Isaac B. Edwards	1.50
3, David Edwards	2.15
4, Isaac B. Edwards	2.05
5, Thomas Edwards	2.55
Paid Samuel Miller { 6 William Baker,	2.00
in the year 1839, { 7 William Baker,	1.65

8, Joseph Dimon,	.85
9, Joseph Dimon	1.25
Sedge flat, Accabonac, Asa Miller,	4.55
Meadow grass, Georgica, Abraham Osborn	1.00
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	\$21.31

10. That the highways of this town be repaired by estimate.

11th. That Jacob Hopping's, Samuel L. Mulford's and Baldwin C. Talmage's yards be considered public pounds.

Account of Jeremiah Lopers' Montauk, which was hired out on Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1826, by the inhabitants, freeholders and commonalty of this town, and payment to be made on the first day of September next.

1 beast right outside, Ezekiel Payne,	1.03
1 " " " David Edwards,	1.05
1 " " " Abraham Huntting,	1.06
1 " " " Joseph Osborn, Jr.,	1.07
$\frac{3}{4}$ right in the field Jonathan Tuthill,	2.95
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	\$7.16

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1827, at the meeting house in this town, at 12 o'clock, noon.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk, that the trustees of this town have full power and authority to transact the business relative to Montauk, in behalf of the proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting.

Marks 93.—Jonathan Osborne enters for his ear mark a slit in the end of the right ear, which he says he bought of Isaac Wickham, which is recorded on the 61st page of this book. Recorded the 7th day of June 1826, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Sylvester Ranger enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear, and an ell on the fore side of the same, and a half penny on each side of the right ear. Recorded the 28th day of July, 1826, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 195.—Whereas application has been made to us, the subscribers, commissioners of highways, for the town of East-Hampton, in the county of Suffolk, by David Barnes and Samuel Schellinger, to regulate a highway that leads from Amagansett to a place known and called Abraham's Landing, as may more fully appear by having recourse to the record of the said highway allowed and laid out in 1739-40. Therefore we, the subscribers, commissioners of highways for the said town of East-Hampton, having viewed and examined the said highway, do agree and determine that the said highway be four rods wide (that is to say) two rods from the middle or centre of the path or road on each side, in pursuance of the act entitled "an act to regulate highways" passed March 19th, 1813—the said highway to be and remain four rods wide as abovesaid, that is, two rods wide from the middle or centre of the path or road on each side the whole length of the same. And we, the commissioners, do hereby authorize the town clerk to make a record hereof, according to law.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this thirteenth day of November, 1826.

ABRAHAM PARSONS,
SAMUEL MILLER,
WILLIAM D. PARSONS.

Commissioners of Highways.

Recorded this thirteenth of November, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six.

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 105.—Taken up by Joseph Edwards, the 15th of December, 1826, a brown, white-faced two year old steer, with the following ear mark to wit, a hollow crop off the left ear, and a half penny under the same and a slope under the right ear. Recorded January 1st, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 93.—Henry P. Miller enters for his ear mark a crop off the right ear and a half penny under the same, a cropped ell off the left ear, the ell under the same. Recorded the 30th day of January, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Abraham Osborne, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear, a half penny under the same and a slit in the right ear. Recorded the 16th day of February, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Abraham Osborne, Jr., enters for his son, William L. H. Osborne, the following ear mark, to wit, a slit in the left ear. Recorded this 16th day of February, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Nathan Miller enters for his ear mark a slope over the left ear and a half penny under, a crop off the right ear and a half penny under the same ear. Recorded the 22d of March, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS Town Clerk.

Marks 94.—Enoch Fithian enters for his ear mark a slit in the right ear and a half penny over the left ear, a mark which was given him by Isaac Hedges, deceased. Recorded the 22d day of March, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H. page 64 $\frac{1}{2}$.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton on the 3d day of April, 1827, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed, as follows, to wit:

Abraham Parsons was chosen Town Clerk.

Abraham Parsons, supervisor.

David Hedges, Jr., Talmage Barnes, Merry Parson, Jonathan B. Mulford, James Hand, assessors.

Abraham Parsons, David Sherril, Sylvanus Parsons, commissioners of highways.

Sylvanus Parsons, Joseph Barnes, Jr., overseers of the poor.

Charles R. Hand, Silas Payne, Abel Huntington, Nathaniel Hand, constables.

Charlgs R. Hand collector, to pay 3 per cent.

Abraham Parsons, Ebenezer Phillips, Jonathan S. Conklin, commissioners of common schools.

David Baker, Jr., David Hedges, Jr., Abel Huntington, inspectors of common schools.

Daniel Dayton, Abraham Parsons, David Edwards, Thomas B. Hand, Stephen Hedges, Nathan Conklin, David VanScoy, Miller Dayton, David Sherril, Samuel Osborn, Isaac Edwards, John Stratton. trustees.

Asa Miller, Sylvester D. Ranger, Lewis Parsons, Thomas B. Hand. William Hedges, Elisha Osborn, Edward Jones, overseers of highways.

Thomas Edwards, William D. Parsons, Josiah Mulford, Miller Bennet, Ezekiel Jones, Talmage Barnes, Baldwin C. Talmage, Nathaniel Huntting, Isaac VanScoy, James Edwards, fence viewers.

Jeremiah T. Parsons, Samuel L. Mulford, Baldwin C. Talmage, Nathan Conklin, pound masters.

Samuel L. Mulford, Talmage Barnes, Napeague pounders.

Samuel L. Mulford, Nathaniel Hand, Silas Sherman, Elisha Osborn, Jr., beach pounders.

Mulford Hand, Thomas B. Hand, sheep and swine pounders

Voted 1st. That six hundred dollars be raised and levied for the maintenance of the poor of this town for the ensuing year.

2d. That the yards of Samuel L. Mulford, Baldwin C. Talmage and Elisha Conklin be pounds.

3d. That the front slip on the south side of the meeting house be granted to the use of Mr. Phillips, and that the same number of pews and slips be hired out as were the last year, and the money arising therefrom be applied towards the payment of the salary of Mr. Phillips, after paying out of the same the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and those expenses to be under the direction of the trustees.

4th. That the trustees be requested to take care of the meeting house and prosecute all persons who shall do any injury to the said house in any manner whatever, and also employ some suitable person to shut the doors and windows of the same and ring the bell.

5th. That the fence viewers be entitled, as a compensation for their services, a dollar per day.

6th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons or highways of this town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such shall be liable to be impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

7th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of

May and the twelfth of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be sufficient fence, the owner or owners of all such neat cattle or horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle and horses so impounded.

8th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds of the same, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offense, forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars and eighteen cents for each and every dozen so caught, to be recovered with costs of suit in any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute the same to effect, the one-half of which forfeiture, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the town for the use of the poor of this town, and the other half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same, as aforesaid.

9th. That the horses and sheep be permitted to run at large on the commons and highways of this town as they have heretofore done.

10. That the cattle be prohibited from running at large on the commons and highways of this town, from the time that they are brought from the land of Montauk in the fall or winter of the year until they are permitted to go on the said land again in the spring.

11. That the highways of this town be repaired by estimate.

12. That all the meadow grass between Indian well and the foot of highland. Also three other lots of meadow grass to the eastward of highland on the south side of the Montauk road, the meadow grass at Georgica and the sedge flat at Accabonac, be hired out at vendue, and the said grass was hired out accordingly, in the following manner, and the payment to be made on the first day of September next.

Westermot lot No. 1, Samuel Schellinger,	\$2.00
2, Reuben King,	2.13
3, Jeremiah King,	3.01
4, Jeremiah King,	3.55
5, Isaac B. Edwards,	3.95
6, Burnet Conklin,	3.20
7, Charles Conklin,	2.75
8, Jonathan Miller,	1.00
9, Isaac B. Edwards,	1.20
Sedge flat at Accabonac, Hezekiah Edwards,	4.40
Georgica flat, Talmage Jones,	2.00
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	\$29.19

Page 67½.—Account of Jeremiah Loper's, Montauk, which was hired out on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, 1827, by the commonalty, freeholders and inhabitants of this town, and inhabitants of this town, and payment to be made on the first day of September next.

1 beast right in common pasture,	Elisha H. Conklin,	1.00
1 do do	Jona. B. Mulford,	1.00
1 do do	Paul Fithian,	1.06
1 do do	Josiah C. Dayton,	1.20
¾ right in fatting field,	Jonathan Tuthill,	2.50

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1828, at the meeting house in this town at 12 o'clock, noon.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk, that the trustees of this town have full power and authority to manage the business in relation to Montauk in behalf of the proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting.

Marks 94.—Jonathan B. Mulford enters for his ear mark a square crop off the left ear, a slit in the same, a crop off the

right ear and an ell under side of the same. Recorded the 5th day of April, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

David Cook, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a square hole in the right ear. Recorded the 8th of December, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Benjamin Hedges enters for his ear mark a hollow crop off the right ear and a half penny the upper and under side of the left ear. Recorded the 8th of December, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 105.—Taken up by Jeremiah King, the 20th of November last, 1827, a two year old yellow steer with the following marks (viz) a cropt ell over the left ear and a half penny under the right ear. Recorded December 12th, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 84.—Baldwin C. Talmage enters for his ear mark an ell the upper side of the right ear and a slit in the left ear. Reded December 12th, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

David Talmage enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of the right ear, a half penny under the same and a slit in the left ear. Recorded December 12th, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 95.—Nathaniel Talmage enters for his ear mark a crop off the right ear and two slits in the crop, which mark is recorded to his grandfather, David Talmage, deceased, May 26th, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Smith Miller enters for his ear mark a square crop off each ear and a half penny under the left ear, which he bought of Baldwin C. Talmage. Recorded the 22d of May, 1818, on the 83d page in this book. Recorded December 12th, 1827, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah T. Parsons enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper side of ear which he says was bought of Sylvanus Parsons, and which formerly belonged to Samuel Parsons, deceased. Recorded January 17th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Abraham Parsons, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop off the right ear and a half penny on the upper side of each ear. Recorded on the 15th page of this book to Robert Parsons, April 12th, 1695. Recorded January 17th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Robert Parsons enters for his ear mark a hollow crop off the right and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded January 24th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks 96.—Robert Parsons enters for his ear mark a hollow crop off each ear. Recorded January the 24th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Robert Parsons enters for his ear mark a hollow crop off the right ear and a half penny under each ear. Recorded January 24th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Henry H. Parsons enters for his ear mark a hollow crop off the right ear and a half penny under the left ear and a nick under the right, which was given to him by his uncle, Robert Parsons. Recorded January 24th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

John H. Cooper, of Bridge-Hampton enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear and a slope over the right ear. Recorded February 18th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Harvey Cook, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark an ell over the left ear, a slope under the right and a half penny over the slope, which mark he says he bought of Joseph Barnes; recorded to Eli Barnes on the 88th page. Recorded March 3d, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 68.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East Hampton, on the 1st day of April, 1828, the town officers were then chosen and the town laws passed as follows, to wit:

Abraham Parsons was chosen town clerk.

Abraham Parsons was chosen supervisor.

Assessors—Merry Parsons, Talmage Barnes, Jonathan S. Conklin, Isaac B. Miller, Isaac Barnes.

Commissioners of highways—Jonathan S. Conklin, William D. Parsons, Abraham Parsons.

Overseers of the poor—Silvanus Parsons, Joseph Barnes, Jr.

Constables—Horace Isaacs, Charles R. Hand, Silas Payne.

Charles R. Hand, collector, to pay 3 per cent for the office.

Commissioners of common schools—Ebenezer Phillips, Abraham Parsons, Abel Huntington.

Inspectors of common schools—David Hedges, Jr., Samuel Miller, Jacob Osborn.

Trustees—Jacob Osborn,	Joseph Barnes,
William Hedges,	David Hedges, Jr.
David Barnes,	David H. Miller,
Jeremiah Terry,	Jonathan H. Stratton,
Jeremiah Huntting,	Josiah Mulford,
Samuel Miller,	Zephaniah Hedges.

Overseers of highways—Harvey Dayton, David Sherry, Daniel Dayton, John Baker, Isaac B. Miller, Isaac S. Osborn, Samuel L. Mulford, Smith Miller, Jacob Hopping, Asa Miller, Jr.

Fence viewers—Joseph Barnes, Jr., Jonathan H. Stratton, Henry Edwards, Talmage Barnes, Ezekiel Jones, James Edwards, David Sherry, Stephen Ranger, Miller Bennet, Benjamin Conklin, Ambrose Parsons, Joseph Edwards, Joseph Osborn, Nathan Conklin, Daniel Dayton.

Pound masters.—Samuel Stratton, Baldwin C. Talmage, Jacob Osborn, James Edwards.

Napeague pounders.—Samuel L. Mulford, Henry D. Stratton.

Beach pounders.—Silas Sherman, John M. Huntting, Jacob Osborn, Jeremiah J. Mulford.

Voted 1st. That six hundred dollars be raised and levied for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the yards of Philetus Osborn, Baldwin C. Talmage and James Edwards be public pounds.

3d. That the front slip on the south side of the meeting house be granted to Mr. Phillips and also that the same num-

ber of pews and slips be hired out in the meeting house, that were hired out last year, and the money arising therefrom be applied towards the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary after paying out of the same the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and those expenses to be under the direction of the trustees of this town.

4th. That the trustees be requested to take care of the meeting house, and prosecute all persons who shall do any injury to the said house in any manner whatever, and also to employ some suitable person to see that the windows and doors of the house are shut, and to the ringing of the bell.

5th. That the fence viewers be entitled to one dollar per day as a compensation for their services.

6th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons or highways of this town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

7th. That all horses, or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or going at large on Napeague or on any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May and the twelfth of September next ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, (provided there be a sufficient fence,) the owner or owners of all such neat cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such cattle and horses so impounded.

8th. That no cattle be permitted to go at large on the

commons and highways of this town from the time that they are brought from Montauk, in the fall or winter of the year until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of fifty cents per head, for all such cattle to be recovered with costs of suit by the Supervisor, the one half of which to be paid to the complainant, when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

9th. That the highways of this town be repaired by estimate.

10th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds of this town, he, she or they so offending shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars, and eighteen cents for each and every dozen so caught, to be recovered with costs of suit in any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute the same to effect, the one half of which forfeiture when recovered to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town, and the other half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as aforesaid.

11th. That the meadow grass between Indian Well and the foot of highland, the grass at Georgica flat, sedge flat at Accabonac and Jeremiah Loper's Montauk, be hired out by the trustees.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1829, at the meeting house in this town at 12 o'clock, (noon.)

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees have authority to manage the business in relation to Montauk in behalf of the proprietors, from this day until our next annual town meeting.

Marks 97.—Henry P. Terry enters for his ear mark an ell on the upper side of each ear and a slit in the right ear. Recorded April 15th, 1828, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 197.—Know all men by these presents that we, David Hedges, Jr., David Barnes, Jacob Osborn, Jonathan H. Stratton, Joseph Barnes, David H. Miller, Jeremiah Terry, Josiah Mulford, Jeremiah Huntting, William Hedges, Zephaniah Hedges and Samuel Miller, trustees of the freeholders and commonalty of the town of East-Hampton, in the county of Suffolk and State of New-York, in consideration of the sum of one dollar to us in hand, paid by David VanScoy, of the said town of East-Hampton, county and state aforesaid, the receipt whereof we do hereby acknowledge, have granted, bargained, sold and quit-claimed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and quit-claim unto the said David VanScoy and to his heirs and assigns, all the right, title, interest, estate, claim and demand, which we, the said trustees of the freeholders and commonalty of the said town of East-Hampton or our successors in office have or may have in law and equity, as well in possession as expectancy of, in and to all and singular, that certain tract or parcel of land situate and lying in the said town of East-Hampton at or near to a place known and distinguished by the name of the North West landing place, being meadow land and bounded as follows: (To wit) northeasterly by the common land and a certain range of stakes which have been placed and fixed by the said trustees and assented to by the said David VanScoy as hereafter to be a permanent boundary line between the common land of the said freeholders and commonalty of the said town of East-Hampton and the meadow land of the said David VanScoy, as may more fully ap-

pear by a diagram of the highway leading from Powder or Mile Hill down to the said landing, which is recorded in the Town Clerk's of this town, with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

In witness whereof the said trustees have hereunto set their hands and seals this 20th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight.

DAVID HEDGES, JR. [L.S.]

DAVID BARNES, " [L.S.]

JACOB OSBORN, [L.S.]

JONATHAN H. STRATTON, [L.S.]

JOSEPH BARNES, [L.S.]

DAVID H. MILLER, [L.S.]

JEREMIAH HUNTTING, [L.S.]

JEREMIAH TERRY, [L.S.]

JOSIAH MULFORD, [L.S.]

WILLIAM HEDGES, [L.S.]

SAMUEL MILLER, [L.S.]

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of

David Sherry,

Jeremiah Miller.

Recorded this twenty-eighth day of October one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 199.—Know all men by these presents that I, David VanScoy, of the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk, and State of New-York, in consideration of the sum of dollar to me in hand paid by David Hedges, Jr. David Barnes, Jacob Osborn, Jonathan H. Stratton, Joseph Barnes, David H. Miller, Jeremiah Huntting, Jeremiah Terry,

Josiah Mulford, William Hedges, Zephaniah Hedges, and Samuel Miller, Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of East-Hampton, the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, have bargained, sold, and quit-claimed, and by these presents do bargain, sell and quit-claim unto the said Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the said town of East-Hampton, and to their successors in office for the use and benefit of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the said town of East-Hampton, all of my right, title, interest, estate, claim and demand, both in law and equity and as well in possession as in expectancy of, in and to that certain tract or parcel of common land situate and lying in the said town of East Hampton, at a place known and distinguished by the Northwest landing, bounded as follows, to wit: southwestwardly partly by the meadow land of the said David V. Scoy and partly by that of John Terry, northerly and westerly by the waters of the inlet of Northwest creek, northerly or easterly by the highway, as may more fully appear by a diagram of the highway leading from Powder or Mile Hill down to the said landing place, the southwestwardly boundary of the said common land between the meadow of the said David V. Scoy and that of the heirs of John Terry, being a certain range or line of stakes fixed by the said Trustees and assented to by me the said David V. Scoy as hereafter to be a permanent line or boundary between the common land of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of East-Hampton and the meadow land of the said David V. Scoy, as may appear by the above-said diagram, recorded in the Town Clerk's office of this town, with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the twentieth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight.

DAVID V. SCOY. [L. s.]

Signed, sealed and delivered
in the presence of
David Sherry,
Jeremiah Miller.

Recorded this twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand,
eight hundred and twenty-eight, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 201.—This Indenture, made the twentieth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, between David Hedges, Jr., David Barnes, Jacob Osborn, Jonathan H. Stratton, Joseph Barnes, David H. Miller, Jeremiah Huntting, Jeremiah Terry, Josiah Mulford, William Hedges, Zephahiah Hedges and Samuel Miller, Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of East-Hampton, of the first part, and David Van Scoy, of the said town of East-Hampton, County of Suffolk and State of New York, yeoman, of the second part, witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereafter mentioned, and the sum of one cent to the said Trustees in hand paid, have granted, bargained, sold, aliened, released and confirmed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, release, alien and confirm unto the said party of the second part, and to his heirs and assigns, all that piece or parcel of ground or common land lying and being in the said town of East-Hampton, at a place known and distinguished by the name of the Northwest landing place, which said parcel of land has been designated and staked out by the said Trustees, and a diagram of which has been made and recorded in the Town Clerk's office of this town, together with the highway leading from Powder or Mile Hill, down to Northwest landing place, bounded as follows, to wit: partly

by the meadow land of the said David V. Scoy and partly by that of the heirs of John Terry, northerly by the inlet of Northwest creek, northeasterly or easterly by the said highway, and westerly by the meadow of the heirs of the said John Terry, to have and to hold the said piece or parcel of land above mentioned unto the said David V. Scoy, his executors, administrators and assigns, from the within date, for and during the full end and term of twenty years, from thence next ensuing and fully to be complete and ended, yielding and paying therefore yearly and every year during the said term unto the said Trustees and their successors the sum of one cent, provided always, nevertheless, and it is the true intent and meaning of these presents and the parties hereunto, that the said Freeholders and commonalty of the said town of East-Hampton shall have liberty to cart wood over and lay wood on the said common land and use the same in any manner and way that the said Freeholders and Commonalty of the town shall deem proper (except to mow the grass provided any should grow thereon) without let, molestation, suit, trouble, eviction, expulsion or interruption of or by him the said David V. Scoy, his heirs or assigns, or by any other person or persons claiming or to claim, by, from or under him, them or any of them, but in case any grass shall grow on the said common land, against the land of the said David V. Scoy, then and in that case the said David V. Scoy, his executors, administrators or assigns shall have the exclusive right and privilege of mowing the grass that shall grow on the said common land without let, molestation, suit, trouble, eviction, expulsion, or interruption of any person claiming or to claim under the Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the said town of East-Hampton for and during the term of twenty years from the twentieth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight.

In witness whereof the said Trustees have hereunto set

their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

DAVID HEDGES, JR.,	[L.S.]
DAVID BARNES,	[L.S.]
JACOB OSBORN,	[L.S.]
JONATHAN H. STRATTON,	[L.S.]
JOSEPH BARNES,	[L.S.]
DAVID H. MILLER,	[L.S.]
JEREMIAH HUNTING,	[L.S.]
JEREMIAH TERRY,	[L.S.]
JOSIAH MULFORD,	[L.S.]
WILLIAM HEDGES,	[L.S.]
SAMUEL MILLER,	[L.S.]

Signed and sealed in the presence of

David Sherry,
Jeremiah Miller.

Recorded this 29th day of October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Marks, 97.—Talmage Lester enters for his ear mark a crop of the right ear and two slits in the same, and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded March 3d, 1829, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

David Lester, Jr., enters for his ear mark a crop of the right ear and two slits in the same, and a half penny over the left ear. Recorded March 3d, 1829, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 106.—Taken up by Abraham Osborn, Jr., the 15th of November last, 1828, a brindle bull calf, marked with a slit in the left ear. Recorded March 6th, 1829, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Stephen Hedges enters for his ear mark a half penny the upper and under side of the left ear. Recorded March 30th, 1829, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Stephen Hedges enters for his son William Hedges the following ear mark, to wit : a half penny the upper and under side of the left ear and a slope under the right ear. Recorded March 30th, 1829, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Jonathan A. Parsons records for his ear mark a crop of the right ear and a half penny the under side of the same, and a slope under side of the left ear, which he says he purchased of Elnathan Parsons, recorded on the 61st page of this book. Recorded April 7th, 1829, by

ABRAHAM PARSONS, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 70½.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house, in the town of East-Hampton on the 7th day of April, 1829, the town officers were then chosen and the town laws were passed as follows, to wit :

Jonathan S. Conklin was chosen town clerk.

Abel Huntington, supervisor.

Silvanus Parsons, William D. Parsons, Jonathan S. Conklin, Isaac Barnes, Merry Parsons, assessors.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Jonathan H. Stratton, William D. Parsons, commissioners of highways.

Silvanus Parsons, Joseph Barnes, Jr., overseers of the poor.

Charles R. Hand, constable.

Charles R. Hand, collector, to collect for 3 per cent.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Abel Huntington, Jonathan Dayton, commissioners of common schools.

David Hedges, Jr., Samuel Miller, Daniel Dayton, inspectors of common schools.

Jonathan S. Conklin, Silas Payne, Stephen Hedges, Jeremiah Dayton, Baldwin C. Talmage, Elisha H. Conklin, Jonathan C. Schellinger, Thomas J. Mulford, David Sherry, Uriah Miller, John Hedges, Abraham VanScoy, trustees.

Isaac S. VanScoy, John Baker, Hezekiah Edwards, David VanScoy, Nathan Conklin, David B. Mulford, Charles Dimon, David H. Miller, overseers of highways.

John Stratton, Henry Schellinger, James Edwards, William D. Parsons, Henry Edwards, Charles R. Hand, Thomas J. Mulford, Jeremiah Huntting, Smith S. Miller, Malines Osborn, Baldwin C. Talmage, John T. Dayton, John Miller, fence viewers.

Samuel Stratton, Jacob Hopping, Lester Bennet, Baldwin C. Talmage, John Baker, Joseph Miller, pound masters.

William Baker, Sylvanus Parsons, Napeague pounders.

James Edwards, Noah Barnes, Samuel C. Parsons, Jacob Osborn, beach pounders.

Voted 1st. That six hundred dollars be levied and raised for the support of the poor of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. That the yards of Lester Bennet, Baldwin C. Talmage, Joseph Miller, Jacob Hopping, and Thomas J. Mulford be public pounds.

3d. That the front slip on the south side of the meeting house be granted to the Rev. Mr. Phillips, and that nineteen slips and all the pews in the meeting house be hired out for the year ensuing, and the money arising therefrom be applied to the payment of Mr. Phillips' salary, after paying out of the same the necessary expenses of the meeting house, said expenses to be under the direction of the trustees of this town.

4th. That the trustees of the town be requested to take care of the meeting house and prosecute all persons who shall do any injury to the said house in any manner whatever, and

also employ some suitable person to sweep said house and to see that the doors and windows of the same be shut, and also to ring the bell.

5th. That the fence viewers be entitled to one dollar each per day for their services, when called to the discharge of their official duties.

6th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons or highways of this town after the twentieth day of this month until the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded; the owner or owners of such sheep to pay one shilling per head for each sheep so impounded.

7th. That all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or going at large on Napeague or on any of the beaches on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May next ensuing, and the twelfth day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded, (provided there be a sufficient fence) the owner or owners of all such neat cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle and horses so impounded.

8th. That no cattle be permitted to go at large on the commons and highways of this town from the time that they are brought from Montauk. in the fall or winter until they go on again in the spring. under the penalty of fifty cents per head for all such cattle, to be recovered with costs of suit by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant, when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

9th. That the highways of this town be repaired by estimate.

10th. That if any person or persons not inhabitants of this town shall be detected in catching eels in any of the bays, harbors, creeks or ponds of this town, he, she or they so of-

fending shall for every such offence forfeit and pay the sum of ten dollars and eighteen cents for each and every dozen so caught, and also the sum of ten dollars for the offence of catching oysters in any of the waters of this town to be recovered with costs of suit, in any court having cognizance thereof, by any person or persons who shall prosecute the same to effect, the one-half of which forfeiture, when recovered, to be paid to the overseers of the poor of this town, and the other half to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same as abovesaid.

11th. That the meadow grass between Indian Well and the foot of highland, the grass at Georgica flat, the sedge flat at Accabonac, and Jeremiah Loper's Montauk, be hired out by the Trustees.

12th. That the Trustees of this town be authorized to procure bulls for the use of the said town as heretofore.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1830 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk, that the trustees of this town have authority to manage the business of the said proprietors, in relation to the aforesaid land of Montauk, for the year ensuing, in behalf of the said proprietors.

The following is an account of the rent of the public grass of this town for the year 1829, which was hired out by the trustees at public auction on the 17th day of April, 1829, on the condition that payment be made the first day of September next ensuing.

NOS.

GRASS AT NAPEAGUE.

1—To Reuben Hedges.....	\$1.00
2 “ Jeremiah King.....	1.00
3 “ David Edwards.....	1.15
4 “ Joseph Osborn, Jr.....	1.00
5 “ David Edwards.....	1.20
6 “ William Conklin.....	1.00

7	" Jeremiah King	1.20
8	" Jeremiah King	1.00
9	" Jeremiah King56

SEDGE FLAT AT ACABONAC.

To David Edwards.....	2.05
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GEORGICA FLAT.

To Talmage Jones.....	.55
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JEREMIAH LOPER'S, MONTAUK.

1—To Patrick T. Gould71
1 " Silas Payne63
1 " Silas Payne.....	.65
1 " Silas Payne .....	.65
$\frac{3}{4}$ in field, Abraham Osborn, Jr.....	2.75

CALF PASTURE LANE.

To Reuben Hedges.....	14.30
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\$31.64

Nov. 27th, 1829, sold at public auction to William Mulford, the cow owned by the town of East-Hampton, and recently in possession of the widow Polly Talmage, at 60 days credit, for the sum of \$12.70. The above sale was superintended by the trustees of the town.

1829, Dec. By cash of William Mulford for the above cow \$12.70.

JONATHAN S. CONKLIN, Town Clerk.

The above sum was paid over to the overseers of the poor by the above named Jona. S. Conklin.

Marks, 98.—John Miller enters for his ear mark an ell over the left ear, half penny under the same, and slit in the right. Recorded March 4th, 1830.

John Miller enters for his ear mark half penny under each ear and crop of the right. Recorded March 4th, 1830.

William H. Dayton enters for his ear mark a half penny on

the upper side of each ear and a half penny under the left, which his father Jeremiah Dayton gave to him, which stands recorded to him on this book. Recorded the 29th day of March, 1830.

Book H, page 73½.—At an annual Town Meeting held in the meeting house, in the town of East Hampton, on the 6th day of April, 1830, the town officers were chosen and other public business transacted as follows:

Jonathan S. Conklin was chosen town clerk.

Abel Huntington was chosen supervisor.

Elisha H. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., Isaac Barnes, Merry Parsons, Jonathan S. Conklin, chosen assessors.

Joseph Barnes, Jr., Sylvanus Parsons, chosen overseers of the poor.

Jonathan S. Conklin, David Hedges, Jr., William D. Parsons, chosen commissioners of highways.

David Hedges, Jr., Abel Huntington, Jonathan S. Conklin, chosen commissioners of common schools.

David Hedges, Jr., Samuel Miller, Jonathan C. Schellinger, chosen inspectors of common schools.

Henry D. Stratton, constable and collector.

David H. Miller, justice of the peace.

Joseph Barnes, Jr., David Hedges, Jr., William Hedges, Jonathan B. Mulford, Sylvanus Parsons, John T. Dayton, Jeremiah Huntting, Isaac Barnes, Nathan Conklin, Smith Miller, Charles R. Hand, Nathaniel Huntting, trustees.

Henry D. Stratton, David VanSeoy, David H. Miller, Ezekiel Jones, Daniel Osborn, Jr., Bethuel Edwards, Nathaniel B. Barnes, Samuel L. Mulford, overseers of highways.

Samuel Stratton, Baldwin C. Talmage, Talmage Jones, Elisha Osborn, John Baker, pound masters.

David Conklin, Abraham T. Osborn, beach pounders.

Samuel Edwards, Napeague pounder.

Voted 1st. Talmage Jones' yard, Nathaniel Hand's yard and Baldwin C. Talmage's yard be public pounds.

2d. That the trustees be instructed to repair the public pounds.

3d. That the compensation to the fence viewers be one dollar per day.

4th. That six hundred dollars be levied and raised for the support of the poor of the town for the year ensuing.

5th. That three per cent be allowed the collector for collection fees.

6th. That the front slip on the south side of the meeting house be reserved for the use of the Rev. Mr. Phillips and family so long as they shall reside in this town, and that it descend to his successor when Mr. Phillips shall cease to occupy the same.

Page 74½.—7th. That the pews and 19 slips be hired out for the ensuing year, and that the money arising from the rent of the same be appropriated to the necessary repairs of the meeting house, and the residue towards the payment of the salary of Mr. Phillip's successor.

8th. That the trustees of the town be requested to take care of the meeting house and prosecute all persons who do any injury to said house in any manner whatever, and also to employ some suitable person to sweep said house and to see that the doors and windows of the same be shut, and also to ring the bell.

9th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commonland or highways of this town after the twentieth day of March next, all such sheep shall be liable to impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay one shilling per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd to be approved of by the trustees.

10th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found

grazing or going at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May next ensuing, and the twelfth day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded, (provided there be a sufficient fence,) the owner or owners of such cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle and horses so impounded.

11th. That no cattle be permitted to go at large on the commons and highways of this town from the time that they are brought from Montauk, in the fall or winter until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle to be recovered, with costs of suit, by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant, when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

12th. That the trustees be authorized to hire some person or persons to raise the back seats in the galleries of the meeting house in such manner or degree as will afford to persons occupying the same, an easy view of the person speaking in the pulpit and that the expense be paid out of the money arising from the rent of the slips and pews.

13th. That the trustees manage the parsonage for the ensuing year.

14th. That the commissioners of highways be authorized or requested to exempt from the road tax all persons who will procure wagons and will use them on the public highways, that will measure four inches wide on the tire, for such period of four years ensuing the date hereof, as they may be in possession and use of such wagons.

On motion the meeting was adjourned until to-morrow the 7th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M.

East Hampton, April 7th, 1830, one o'clock, town meeting opened pursuant to adjournment.

Voted 1st. That the meadow grass between Indian Well and the foot of highland, the grass on Georgica flat, the sedge flat at Accabonac, and Jeremiah Loper's Montauk, be hired out at public vendue on this day.

Vote 2d. That the trustees be requested to procure bulls for the use of this town, and to pay for the services of the same out of the funds of the town in their hands.

Vote 3d. That the members of the Board of Excise be and they are hereby requested not to grant a license to any person to sell strong or spirituous liquors by retail in this town, for the succeeding year, provided however, if the members of the said Board should be of opinion that the law does not leave it discretionary with them, but should deem it a duty incumbent on them to grant licenses to all those who should apply for the same that they would not grant it, for a less sum than thirty dollars. The meeting adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, at 10 o'clock A. M. 1831.

The proprietors of Montauk voted the management of the said land into the hands of the trustees of this town for the ensuing year.

An account of the public grass hired out for the year ensuing. East Hampton, April 7th, 1830.

No. Glades at Napeague.

1. Talmage Barnes.....	.85
2. Sylvanus Parsons.....	.65
3. Augustus Bennett.....	1.15
4. Samuel S. Dayton.....	2.55
5. David Edwards.....	2.60
6. Uriah Miller, for Wm. Conklin.....	2.05
7. Augustus Bennett.....	1.00
8. Uriah Miller	
9. Hezekiah Edwards	12½

Sedge Flat at Accabonac.

To Asa Miller, settled in bull account with D. Hedges ..2.60

Grass at Georgica.

To Talmage Jones, paid Sam Miller.....1.15

Jeremiah Loper's Montauk.

1 Beast right in the common pasture to John Dimon....1.14

1 " " " A. D. Candy.....1.16

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1 " " " Horace Isaacs.....1.17

$\frac{3}{4}$ right in field, Samuel S. Dayton2.31

Parsonage Montauk.

1 Right in common pasture to David Baker, Jr.....1.17

1 " " " Jona. C. Schellinges.....1.15

1 " " " Silas Payne.....1.16

1 " " " Silas Payne.....1.16

1 " (paid Sam. Miller in 1833) Josiah Dayton,.....1.16

1 " in the common pasture to Sylvanus Jones.....1.16

1 " " " Samuel Miller1.16

1 " Field, Nathaniel Dominy.....3.00

$\frac{1}{2}$ " " Uriah Miller.....2.15

Lily Pond Lane.

To Samuel Osborn.....5.01

Due from Jeremiah King for public grass hired in the years 1826, 1827 and 1829, after discounting with the overseers of the poor for the sum of \$7.37 the balance of \$4.65.

Marks, 98.—Talmage Barnes enters for his ear mark a hollow crop at the left ear and a half penny over the right. Recorded March 14th, 1831.

At an annual town meeting held in the meeting house in the town of East Hampton, on the fifth day of April, 1831, the town officers were chosen and public business transacted as follows :

On motion resolved that the compensation for collecting the taxes be three per cent.

Supervisor, Abel Huntington.

Town Clerk, Samuel Miller.

Voted that five persons be chosen assessors.

Jonathan B. Mulford, David Hedges, Jr., Henry Schellinger, Elisha H. Conklin, assessors.

Henry D. Stratton, collector.

Henry D. Stratton, Charles R. Hand, constables.

Joseph Barns, Jr., Sylvanus Parsons, overseers of the poor.

David Hedges, Jr., justice of peace.

William D. Parsons, Samuel Miller, Nathaniel Huntting, commissioners of highways.

Abel Huntington, David Hedges, Jr., Joseph D. Condit, commissioners of common schools.

Daniel Dayton, David B. Mulford, Thomas B. Hand, Talmage Barns, Samuel Osborn, Stephen Hedges, Josiah C. Dayton, Jonathan H. Stratton, James Edwards, David Talmage, Samuel Miller. Miller Bennet, trustees.

Isaac Osborn, John Baker, Abraham T. Osborn, Jesse Strong, David VanScoy, John Parsons, Jr., Nathaniel B. Barns, John Miller, overseers of highways.

Samuel Stratton, John Baker, Baldwin C. Talmage, Jacob Hopping, Talmage Jones, pound masters.

Voted 1st. That Jacob Hopping's, Baldwin C. Talmage's and Nathaniel Hand's yards be public pounds.

2d. That the sum of six hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the ensuing year.

3d. That the Rev. Mr. Condit have the use of the front slip in the meeting house upon the south side.

Joseph D. Condit, Abel Huntington, David Baker, Jr., Inspectors of common schools.

4th. That the public grass and Jeremiah Loper's Montauk, be hired out this day at anction, and the money be paid for the hire of the same on the first day of September next, to the supervisor of this town.

5th. That the members of the Board of Excise be and they are hereby requested not to grant any license to any person to sell strong or spiritous liquors in this town, for the ensuing year, for any less sum than thirty dollars.

6th. That any fence equal to a two rails with post, that is three feet and eight inches high in the clear shall be considered a sufficient fence.

7th. That the same number of pews and slips in the meeting house be hired out for ensuing year, as was the last, and that the money arising from the rent of the same be appropriated to the necessary repairs of the house, and the residue towards the payment of Rev. Mr. Condit's salary.

8th. That the trustees of the town be requested to take care of the meeting house and prosecute all persons who do any injury to said house in any manner whatever, and to employ some suitable person to sweep the house, shut the doors and windows and ring the bell.

9th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commonland or highways of this town after the twelfth day of this month until the twentieth day or March next, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay one shilling per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd to be approved of by the trustees.

10th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or going at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May next ensuing, and the twelfth day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owners of such cattle and horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle and horses so impounded.

11th. That no cattle be permitted to go at large on the commons and highways of this town from the time that they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle to be recovered, with costs of suit, by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant, when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

12th. That the trustees of the town manage the parsonage for the ensuing year.

13th. That the commissioners of highways be authorized or requested to exempt from the road tax all persons who will procure wagons and will use them on the public highways, that measure four inches wide on tire for such period of three years ensuing the date hereof as they may be in possession and use of such wagon.

14th. That the trustees of the town be requested to procure bulls for the use of this town, and to pay for the services of the same out of the funds of the town in their hands.

15th. That the compensation to the fence viewers be one dollar per day.

The meeting adjourned to the first Tuesday in April, to 10 o'clock A. M. 1832.

The proprietors of Montauk voted the management of the said land into the hands of the trustees of this town for the ensuing year.

An account of the public grass hired out for the year ensuing. East Hampton, April 5th, 1831.

Glades at Napeague.

Lot No. 1.	David Conklin, paid A. Huntington	.....	\$1.00
" 2.	Talmage Barnes,	" .....	.30
" 3.	Barnes Edwards,	" .....	.66
" 4.	Samuel S. Dayton,	" .....	.55
" 5.	Barnes Edwards,	"	1.28

Lot No. 6. Augustus Bennett,	"	.....	.80
" 7. Augustus Bennett,	"	.....	1.02
" 8. Hezekiah Edwards,	"	.....	12½
" 9. Hezekiah Edwards,	"	.....	.07

Sedge Flat at Accabonac.

Jeremiah T. Parsons, paid A. Huntington..... 3.30

Grass at Georgica.

Edward Jones, paid A. Huntington..... .25

Jeremiah Loper's Montauk.

One beast right outside, Bartholomew Penny, (dead)... 1.19

One do. Charles R. Hand..... 1.20

One do. Charles R. Hand..... 1.20

One do. Bartholomew Penny (dead).... 1.25

Three-fourths of one right in the fatting field, Charles

R. Hand..... 2.40

Amount of Jeremiah Loper's Montauk..... 7.24

Deduct amount of Chas. Buthw Penny in A. Hunting-

ton's hands..... 2.44

\$4.80

Parsonage Montauk.

One beast right outside, William Hedges, paid S. Miller 1.22

1 do. William Hedges, 1.26

1 do. Charles R. Hand, paid S. Miller 1.25

1 do. Jeremiah P. Bennett, " 1.15

1 do. Jeremiah P. Bennett, " 1.23

1 do. David Baker, 1.21

1 do. Barns Edwards, " 1.25

1 beast right in fatting field, Asa Miller, paid Sam Miller 3.00

½ do. Elisha Osborn, Jr. paid S. M. 1.71

Amount of parsonage, Montauk.....\$13.28

day of February last, 1831, a red steer, two years old, marked with a crop at the right ear and a slit in the same. And one pied heifer, one year old, or yearling, marked with a half penny under the right ear, and a cropt ell at the left. Recorded April 9th, 1831, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Note—The above notice was handed over to me but not recorded.

Book E, page 107.—Taken up by Samuel Osborn, of East Hampton, on or about the 10th day of November, the present month, one chestnut colored heifer, two years old last spring, marked with a slope under the left ear and a slit in the right ear. And likewise one steer one year old, chestnut color, marked with a slit in the left ear and an ell over the right ear. Recorded the 19th day of November, in the year 1831, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 106.—Taken up by Gardiner Miller, on the nineteenth day of November, 1831, a red heifer, supposed to be three years old the last spring, and marked with a square crop at the left ear, and a half penny under the same and a slope under the right ear and a half penny above upon the same ear. Recorded November 26th, 1831, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 107.—Taken up by Samuel Osborn, on the first day of July last past, a red yearling steer, marked as follows, with a slope upon the upper side of each ear, and an ell under the right ear. Recorded December 5th, 1831, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 98.—Alfred Ranger enters for his ear mark a half penny each side of the right ear, a crop at the left ear and a slit in the same. Recorded December 14th, 1831, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 99.—Daniel S. Edwards has entered for his ear mark, by his father Joseph Edwards, a hole in the left ear and an ell under side of the right ear, which mark formerly belonged to John D. Edwards. Recorded March 1st in the year 1832, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

John E. Parsons enters for his ear mark a square crop at the left ear and a half penny under the same, and a slope under the right ear, which mark he says he bought of William D. Parsons. Recorded the 29th day of March, 1832, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Page 81.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house, in the town of East Hampton, on the 3d day of April, 1832, the town officers were chosen and laws were passed as follows :

Vote 1st. That the number of five assessors be chosen.

Vote 2d. That the collector be allowed three per cent for collecting the tax.

Then proceeded to ballot as the law directs for officers.

Abel Huntington, supervisor.

Samuel Miller, town clerk.

David Hedges, Jr., Baldwin C. Talmage, Silvanus Parsons, Elisha H. Conklin, Jonathan B. Mulford, assessors.

Henry D. Stratton, constable and collector.

Charles R. Hand, constable.

Josiah C. Dayton, justice of the peace.

William D. Parsons, Abel Huntington, David Hedges, Jr., commissioners of common schools.

Joseph D. Condit, Abel Huntington, Charles H. Miller, inspectors of common schools.

Jonathan H. Stratton, Joseph Barnes, Jr., overseers of town poor.

Samuel Miller, William D. Parsons, Jonathan H. Stratton, commissioners of highways.

Eli Parsons, Samuel Edwards, John Baker, David Hedges, Jr., Nathan Conklin, Charles H. Miller, Uriah Miller, Joseph Barns, Jr., Joseph Osborn, Jr., William D. Parsons, William Hedges, Josiah Mulford, trustees.

Voted 1. That the trustees of the town paint the meeting house and pay the expense of the same out of any public money that may be in their hands.

Uriah Miller, Charles . Miller, Silvanus G. Edwards, Eli Parsons, Talmage Jones, Abner Strong, Thomas J. Mnlford, overseerseers of highways.

Samuel Stratton, Lester Bennett, Malines Osborn, Talmage Johnes, Baldwin C. Talmage, pound masters.

Talmage Jones, Baldwin C. Talmage, Lester Bennet, Elisha H. Conklin, yards are voted public pounds.

Vote 2d. That the sum of six hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor of this town for the ensuing year.

3d. That the public grass and Jeremiah Loper's Montauk be hired out this day at auction, and the money be paid for the hire of the same on the first Monday of September next, to the Supervisor of this town.

4th. That any fence equal to a two rails with post, that is, three feeet and eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

5th. That the members of the board of excise be, and they are hereby requested, not to grant any license to any person

to sell strong or spiritous liquors in this town for the ensuing year for any less sum than thirty dollars.

6th. That the same number of pews and slips in the meeting house be hired out for the ensuing year, as was the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same be appropriated to the necessary repairs of the house, and the residue towards the payment of the Rev. Mr. Condit's salary.

7th. That the trustees of the town be requested to take care of the meeting house and prosecute all persons who do any injury to said house in any manner whatever, and to employ some suitable person to sweep the house, shut the doors and windows, and ring the bell.

8th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be upon the common land or highways of this town, after the twelfth day of this month, until the twentieth day of March next, all of such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay one shilling per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be approved of by the trustees of this town.

9th. That all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or going at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May next ensuing and the 12th day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such cattle and horses to pay fifty cents perhead for all such neat cattle and horses so impounded.

10th. That no cattle be permitted to go at large on the commons or highways of this town, from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter until they go on in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle, to be recovered with cost of suit by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant when recov-

ered and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

11th. That the trustees of the town manage the parsonage land for the ensuing year.

12th. That the commissioners of highways be authorized or requested to exempt from the road tax all persons who will procure wagons and will use them on the public highways, that measure four inches on the tire, for such period of three years ensuing the date hereof as they may be in possession and use of such wagon.

13th. That the trustees of the town be requested to procure bulls for the use of this town, and to pay for the services of the same out of the funds of the town in their hands.

14th. That the compensation to the fence viewers be one dollar per day.

15th. That the supervisor pay any inhabitant of this town that may bring him a fox, or the skin thereof, and produce satisfactory evidence that the said fox was killed in this town the present year, shall be entitled to twenty-five cents for each and every fox so killed, and the supervisor to pay for the same out of any money that may be in his hands belonging to this town, and to cut the ears off said fox.

16th. That the trustees of this town pay a bill of twelve dollars to Mr. William Babcock and company for building the altar in the church, out of any money in their hands belonging to the town.

Meeting then adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday of April in the year, 1833, at ten o'clock, A. M.

April 3d, 1832, voted by the proprietors of Montauk then present, that the trustees of the town of East-Hampton manage the affairs of said land the year ensuing.

An account of the hire of Napeague glades and other lands for one season.

Glades at Napeague.

Lot No. 1—Samuel Schellinger.....	\$2.25
2—Samuel Conklin	1.12½
3—Isaac B. Edwards.....	.50
4—William Baker.....	1.50
5—Samuel S. Dayton.....	1.75
6—David Conkling.....	1.55
7—Hezekiah Edwards.....	.65
8—Theophilus Smith, paid S. Miller12½
9—William Baker.....	.11½
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	\$9.57½

Flat at Accabonac.

Jeremiah P. Bennett.....	2.05
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Grass at Georgica.

Robert L. Hedges, paid Saml. Miller.....	1.20
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Jeremiah Loper's Montauk.

David Gardiner, one beast right.....	1.40
do. do. do. do.	1.30
Daniel Edwards, do. do.	1.30
Felix Dominy, do. do. paid S. M.	1.30
Three-fourths of one beast right in the fatting field, David .H Miller.....	2.40
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	\$7.70

Parsonage Montauk.

Charles R. Hand, one beast right.....	1.35
Isaac Edwards, do. do.	1.30
do. do. do. do.	1.38
do. do. do. do.	1.30
Jeremiah Dayton, do. do. paid S. M.	1.35
do. do. do. do.	1.35
do. do. do. do.	1.34
Felix Dominy, one right in the fatting field, paid S. M.	3.06
Charles R. Hand, one-half do. do.	1.64
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	\$14.07

Marks 99.—William D. Parsons enters for his ear mark a slope under the right ear and a half penny over the same, and a square crop at left ear. Recorded May 15th, 1832, by
SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 100.—William D. Parsons enters for his ear mark a hollow crop at the left ear and a half penny under the same, which mark he says he purchased of his brother, Elnathan Parsons, and stands recorded on page 61. Recorded May 15, 1832, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

William D. Parsons enters for his ear mark a hollow crop at the right ear and a half penny under the same, which mark he says he purchased of his brother, Solon Parsons, and stands recorded on page 61. Recorded May 15th, 1832, by
SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Josiah Miller enters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear and a half penny over the same, and a square crop at right ear. Recorded May 15th, 1832, by
SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Schuyler R. Conklin enters for his ear mark an ell under the right ear and a slope over the left ear and a half penny under the same. Recorded June 2d, 1832, by
SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Book H, page 85.—At a meeting of the commissioners of the highways of the town of East Hampton, held on the 18th day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1833, it was agreed that the highway districts in said town should be divided in the following districts:

1st., viz: The eastern or first district to be bounded westwardly by the dwelling house of Hervey Dayton, southerly by the sea, northwesterly by the dwelling house of Hezekiah Edwards, and on the north by the bay.

2d District, bounded easterly by the first, northerly by the bay, and Accabonac creek, northeasterly by the line of fence running between the land of Martin Plato and Jeremiah King, running southwardly to the south corner of Samuel Osborn's wood lot.

3d District, bounded southeasterly by the second district, northeasterly, including Gardiner's Island, by the bay, northerly, so far as to include Hog Creek Lane, and the highway running from the Fireplace towards the town until it comes as far as the west corner of Samuel Osborn's wood lot.

4th District, bounded southeasterly by the third district, easterly by the head of Hog Creek, from thence running westerly by the head of Three Mile Harbor.

5th district, bounded easterly by the fourth district, westerly by head of North West Swamp, southerly by a line running from the head of Three Mile Harbor to Long Hill, and from thence to the head of North West swamp, thence to continue south west to the slough on Sag-Harbor highway including Payne's Neck.

6th district, bounded easterly by the first, northerly by the second, third, fourth and fifth, westerly by the dwelling house of Jeremiah Hunting and Joseph Osborn.

7th district, bounded easterly by the sixth district, westerly by a line running on the south end of the dwelling house of Noah Barnes, to the slough on Sag-Harbor road, northerly by a line running from the said slough to the head of North West swamp.

8th. district, to be bounded easterly by the seventh, westwardly by a line running from the Tan Creek, to the junction of Sag-Harbor and Buck's Kill road.

9th district to be bounded eastwardly by the eight district and the seventh. Southampton line northwesterly, northerly by a line running from the slough on Sag-Harbor road to the Southampton line.

10th district, to be bounded southerly by the ninth, westwardly by the Southampton line, and eastwardly by the head of the slough, this last mentioned district, includes the Sag-Harbor highways from the slough to the Southampton line.

The aforesaid mentioned districts were recorded and considered to be the proper highway districts for the town of East-Hampton.

Done at East-Hampton this eighteenth day of March in the year 1833, by the undersigned commissioners of highways.

SAMUEL MILLER,
JONATHAN H. STRATTON,
WILLIAM D. PARSONS.

Commissioners of Highways.

Book H, page 86½.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on the 2d day of April, 1833, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows.

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

Daniel Dayton, supervisor.

Henry Schellinger, William D. Parsons, Charles R. Hand, David Hedges, Jr., Elisha H. Conklin, assessors.

Samuel Miller, Silvanus Parsons, William D. Parsons, commissioners of highways.

Stephen Hedges, Uriah Miller, overseers of the poor.

Henry D. Stratton, Charles R. Hand, constables.

Henry D. Stratton, collector.

Abel Huntington, Daniel Dayton, Charles H. Miller, commissioners of common schools.

Jonathan S. Conklin, justice of the peace.

Isaac Edwards, Charles Dimon, Abraham V. Scoy, Thomas T. Hedges, Henry D. Stratton, Jonathan C. Schellinger, David Sherry, Jeremiah Hunting, John Stratton, Charles R. Hand, David Gardiner, Henry Osborn, trustees.

Joseph D. Condit, Charles H. Miller, Abel Huntington, inspectors of common schools.

Jonathan A. Parsons, Isaac S. V. Scoy, Asa Miller, Jr., Isaac B. Miller, Silas Payne, Eli Parsons, Joseph Edwards, Josiah C. Dayton, Josiah C. Dayton, Jonathan Osborn, Jr., Jonathan C. Schellinger, overseers of highways.

Page 87.—Samuel Stratton, Talmage Jones, Lester Bennet, Baldwin C. Talmage, Isaac Hopping, pound masters.

Jacob Hopping, Baldwin C. Talmage, Talmage Jones, Lester Bennet's yards voted public pounds.

2d, voted that the sum of twelve hundred dollars be levied and collected for the support of the poor and other necessary town charges for the year ensuing.

3d, voted that the public grass and Jeremiah Loper's, Montauk, be hired out this day at auction and the money be paid for the hire of the same on the first Monday of September next, to the supervisor of this town.

4th, voted that any fence equal to a two rails, with posts that is three feet and eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

5th, voted that the members of the Board of Excise, be and they are hereby requested not to grant any license to any person to sell strong or spiritous liquors in this town for the ensuing year, for any less sum than thirty dollars.

6th, voted that the same number of pews and slips in the meeting house be hired out the ensuing year, as were the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same be appropriated to the necessary repairs of the house, and the residue towards the payment of the Rev. Mr. Condit's salary.

Page 87½.—7th, voted that the trustees of the town be requested to take care of the meeting house, and to prosecute all persons who shall do any injury to said house in any manner whatever, and to employ some suitable person to sweep the house, shut the doors and windows, and to ring the bell.

8th, voted, that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay one shilling per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

9th, voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the sixth day of May next ensuing, and the twelfth day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner or owners of such cattle or horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle or horses so impounded.

Page 88.—10th, voted that no cattle be permitted to run at large on the commons or highways of this town from the time they are brought on Montauk in the fall or winter, until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle to be recovered, with costs of suit, by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

11th, voted that the trustees of the town manage the parsonage lands for the ensuing year.

12th, voted that the commissioners of highways be authorized or requested to exempt from the road tax all persons who will procure wagons and will use them on the public high-

ways, that measure four inches on the tire, for the period of three years ensuing, the date hereof as they may be in possession and use of such wagon.

13th, voted that the trustees of the town be requested to procure bulls for the use of the town, and to pay for the services of them out of the funds of the town in their hands.

14th, voted that the compensation to the fence viewers be one dollar per day.

15th, voted that the supervisor pay to any inhabitant of this town that may bring him a fox, or the skin thereof, and produce satisfactory evidence that the said fox was killed in this town the present year, the sum of twenty-five cents for each and every fox so killed, the same to be paid out of any money that may be in his hands belonging to this town, and to take the ears from said foxes.

16th, voted that the trustees pay the Rev. Mr. Phillips his demand out of money in their hands raised from the hire of the parsonage and from the hire of pews and slips, being over-plus of the year 1832.

17th, voted that the suit depending between the Mr. Hunttings and the town be referred to the care of the trustees of the town.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday of April, 1834, at nine o'clock A. M.

Account of the hire of Napeague glades and other lands for the year ensuing.

Glades at Napeague.

Lot No. 1.	David Conklin.....	\$.70
" 2.	Isaac B. Edwards.....	.45
" 3.	Robert L. Hedges.....	.57
" 4.	William Baker.....	.55
" 5.	Harvey Osborn.....	.35
" 6.	Isaac B. Edwards.....	.51
" 7.	Isaac B. Edwards.....	.41

Lot No. 8. Hezekiah Edwards.....	.13
“ 8. William Baker.....	.25
Sedge Flat at Accabonac.	
Hired by Samuel King for.....	\$2.80
Grass at Georgica.	
Nathan Conklin.....	1.75
Acct. of Jeremiah Loper's Montauk.	
David Sherry, 1 beast right outside.....	1.25
do. do. do. do	1.31
do. do. do. do	1.40
William Baker, do. do.	1.20
Samuel S. Dayton, three-fourths of a right in the field...	2.51
Account of the Parsonage Montauk.	
William Baker, 1 beast right outside.....	\$1.13
do. do. do. do	1.10
do. do. do. do	1.32
do. do. do. do	1.25
do. do. do. do	1.26
Jeremiah Loper, do. do.	1.08
Samuel S. Dayton, do. do.	1.06
John Hedges, one field right.....	3.00
John Hedges, part of do.....	1.90
Voted by the proprietors of Montauk then present that the Trustees of the town of East Hampton, manage the affairs of the said land of Montauk the year ensuing. April 2d, 1833.	

Book G, page 204.—Whereas frequent difficulties arise respecting the boundary lines of the Town street in consequence of there being no record of said street, we, William D. Parsons, Jonathan H. Stratton and Samuel Miller, Commissioners of Highways of the town of East Hampton, do, after much examination of such testimony as can be collected, and all circumstances relative thereto, proceed by virtue of the laws of

this State regulating highways in Suffolk county, passed February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and thirty, to survey, stake out and record such width of highway as appears to be necessary for the public convenience.

Therefore we the said commissioners commence at the south corner of the academy piazza, running on a course south 43 degrees west 16 chains and 57 links to a stake on the corner between the land of William Hedges and Horace Isaacs. From thence south 39 degrees west 3 chains and 29 links to a stake on the corner between the land of Horace Isaacs and Abraham Osborn, Jr. ; from thence south 22 west 3 chains 47 links to a stake standing on Jonah Terbill's ditch ; from thence south 18 degrees west 8 chains to a stake standing in front of Samuel Osborn's house and near by his cellar window ; from thence south 26 degrees west 1 chain to the stones on Samuel Osborn's corner ; from thence south 22 degrees west 5 chains to a stake placed near by Abraham Osborn's great gate ; from thence south and 83 three degrees east 4 chains 37 links to a stake standing on the corner of John Hedges' land and the parsonage ; from thence north 15 degrees east 10 chains to a stake on the corner of William Hedges' land and the land belonging to the heirs of John L. Gardiner ; from thence north 30 degrees east 4 chains to the northwest end of Gardiner lot bars ; from thence south 74 east 19 links to a stake standing on the south-east end of Gardiner lot bars ; from thence north 39 degrees east 7 chains and 42 links to a stake standing opposite Horace Isaac's garden ; from thence north 31 degrees, east 10 chains to a stake standing near Samuel Miller's barn ; from thence north 32 degrees, east 1 chain and 81 links to a stone on the corner of the said Samuel Miller's lot, that is southerly of the meeting house ; from thence on the same course 61 links to the meeting house.

Then we, the aforesaid commissioners do proceed to regulate the width of such highways as are bounded by the above

mentioned courses and distances. Therefore we do agree and determine that it shall be a public highway commencing at the south corner of the Academy piazza and running from thence south 43 degrees, west 13 chains to a stake placed opposite William Hedges' land; from thence across the street on a course bearing south 54, east 4 chains and 31 links to a stake standing opposite Horace Isaac's garden; from thence on the original courses and distances to the meeting house, we do record all within the said boundary lines as a public highway forever.

Then we do also agree and record that there shall be a highway on the southeast side of the street, two rods wide from the original boundary lines of the plot, and running from the line that runs across the street from William Hedges' land to Horace Isaac's garden, twelve chains and seventy-six links to the south end of the burying ground, and we do consider the burying ground to lie on the northwest side of this two rod highway, and is four rods wide on the northeast end, and one rod fifty-two hundredths of a rod wide on southwest end, the western boundaries of which are as follows: running from a stone placed on the line that runs across the street, four rods from the two rod highway, to a stone placed on the west side of said burying ground and bearing from the corner between William Hedges' land and Horace Isaac's, south 31 degrees, east 2 chains and 31 links; from thence to another stone placed on the same side of said ground, bearing from the stake on Josiah Terbell's ditch, south 63, east 2 chains and 69 links; from thence to a stone on the west corner of the burying ground which is placed $1\frac{52}{100}$ of a rod from the south end of the 2 rod highway, the remainder of the enclosed land by the original above-mentioned courses and distances, we, the said commissioners, do record as a public highway forever.

Then we proceeded to record the width of the town street

from the meeting house to Newtown lane, and in the first place we placed a stone in the centre of the street, opposite the Academy and the corner of the land belonging to Jonathan Mulford, Jr., and we record the highway to be four rods and twenty-eight one-hundredths of a rod wide, east side of this stone, then we run on a course from this stone in the center of the street, north 41 degrees, east 3 chains and 54 links, to another stone placed in the middle of the street, where we record the highways to be three rods and ninety-two one-hundredths of a rod wide each side of this stone; then we run on the same course in the centre of the street, 10 chains and 81 links, to another stone placed in the centre of the street opposite Daniel Osborn's and Henry Osborn's front, and measured off the same distance for the highway as at the above last mentioned stone, which is 3 rods and 92-100 of a rod.

From thence we run on a course north 43, east in the middle of the street 20 chains and 90 links to Newtown Lane, and placed a stone again at the end of said distance in the centre of the street and measured off each side of said stone three rods and ninety-two one-hundredths of a rod for the width of the highway.

On the succeeding pages we have drawn a plot of the said street and recorded a field book which contains all of the different courses and distances as are now staked off and measured, which will serve to give a better illustration of the matter than you otherwise can have.

FIELD BOOK.

First course commencing at the south corner of the Academy.

South	43	deg.	west	16.57	chains.
"	39	"	"	3.29	"
"	22	"	"	3.47	"

South	18	deg.	west	8.00	chains.
"	26	"	"	1.00	"
"	22	"	"	5.00	"
"	43	"	east	4.37	"
North	15	"	"	10.00	"
"	30	"	"	4.00	"
South	74	"	"	00.19	"
North	39	"	"	7.42	"
"	31	"	"	10.00	"
"	32	"	"	1.81	"

On the same course as the one last mentioned 61 links to the meeting house.

We, the Commissioners of Highways of the town of East-Hampton do record the above mentioned highways to be and remain open highways from this date.

Dated at East-Hampton this 1st. day of April, A. D., 1833.

SAMUEL MILLER,
JONATHAN H. STRATTON,
WILLIAM D. PARSONS.

Commissioners of Highways.

Recorded the first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, by

SAMUEL MILLER, Town Clerk.

Marks 100.—Jonathan Mulford, Jr., enters for his ear mark a U under the left ear. Recorded May 7th, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Marks 101.—Jeremiah Mulford enters for his ear mark a half penny over the left and a half penny under the right. Recorded May 9th, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

David Baker, Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell under each ear and a half penny on the upper side of the left ear, which is recorded to Jonathan Baker on the 29th page of this book. Recorded May 9th, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Joseph Baker, Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell over the right ear. Recorded May 16, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Joseph Barnes, Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell over the right ear and a nick under the same ear. Recorded May 16th, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

David Mulford, Jr., enters for his ear mark a yew under the left ear and an ell under the right ear. Recorded May 25th, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 215.—In conformity with the request of the Trustees of the Freeholders and Commonalty of the town of East-Hampton, the undersigned Commissioners of Highways, in and for the said town, have surveyed the highway which runs over the beach and parallel to the shore at Sag-Harbor, and find the width, courses and distances of the lines of the said highway as follows :

Namely, the said highway from the boundary line between the Town of Southampton and East-Hampton to its intersection with the highway, which the Commissioners of the said town of East-Hampton obtained by way of exchange, of Daniel Fordham, Hubbard Latham and Henry P. Dering, in the yeae 1807, is two rods in width ;

And the easterly section of the said beach highway from its junction with the said exchanged highway is three rods in

width. The courses and distances of the line of the said beach highway on the southerly side thereof, are as stated below : From its junction with the eastern side or line of the said exchanged highway (which point of intersection is designated by a stone placed near the horse pump house recently erected on the said exchanged highway) is south 62 deg., east four chains and 39 links ; from thence south 63 deg. 15 min., east 3 chains and 78 links to the eastern end of the said highway. The said end of the last mentioned, or beach highway, butts up to and conjoins with a line which forms the course of the westerly side of a rope walk erected by Capt. William I. Rysam. The said surveyed line on the southerly side of the aforesaid beach highway runs 28 links from the eastern corner of Obadiah Smith's dwelling house, and 26 links from the eastern corner of William Taylor's dwelling house and 9 links from the eastern corner of Sylvanus Cook's house. And we, the Commissioners, do hereby ordain, establish and declare the abovesaid beach highway to be a public and open highway forever, and authorize the Town Clerk to record the same according to law.

SAMUEL MILLER.

WILLIAM D. PARSONS,

SILVANUS PARSONS.

Commissioners.

Recorded this eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Marks 101.—Alvah Halsey, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark an ell over the left, and a slope under the right, which he says he purchased of Joseph Barnes and which is recorded to Eli Barnes on the 87th page of this book. Recorded December 2d, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Book E, page 107.—Taken up by Henry Osborn, of East-Hampton, on the 10th day of December, 1833, a black two years old heifer with part of the tail off, and the following ear mark, viz : a hollow crop at the right ear and a half penny under the same, and an ell under the left ear. Recorded December 13th, 1833, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Marks 102.—Collens Miller enters for his ear mark a slope over the left ear and a half penny under it, and a half penny over the right. Recorded the 25th of January, 1834, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Book H, page 89½.—At the annual town meeting held at the meeting house in East-Hampton, on the first day of April, 1834, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows :

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

Felix Dominy was chosen supervisor.

Lewis Edwards, Samuel Miller, Sylvanus Parsons, Josiah C. Dayton, Jonathan B. Mulford, assessors.

David Sherry, Isaac Edwards, Jonathan C. Schellinger, commissioners of highways.

Uriah Miller, Josiah Mulford, overseers of the poor.

Henry D. Stratton, Charles R. Hand, constables.

Henry D. Stratton, collector.

Thomas T. Parsons, George L. Huntington, David Hedges, Jr., commissioners of common schools.

Samuel Miller, Justice of the peace.

Joseph D. Condit, Charles H. Miller, Jacob A. Scoy, inspectors of common schools.

Josiah C. Dayton, Jonathan B. Mulford, Samuel Miller, William Mulford, Lewis Edwards, Joseph Barnes, David

Hedges, Jr., David Mulford, Jr., Talmage Barnes, Thomas J. Mulford, Thomas Osborn, William Hedges, trustees.

Isaac Edwards, Daniel Edwards, Jacob Schellinger, Jonathan Osborn 3d, Eli Parsons, Jared Cook, John Miller, Silas Payne, Josiah C. Dayton, overseers of highways.

Felix Dominy, Baldwin C. Talmage, Edward Jones, Jacob Hopping, David Baker, pound masters.

1st. Voted that the yards of Jacob Hopping, Talmage Jones, Baldwin C. Talmage, Lester Bennet and David Baker be public pounds.

2d. Voted that the sum of twelve hundred dollrrs be levied and collected for the support of the poor of this town, the ensuing year, and one hundred and ten dollars for the contingent expenses of the town, and one hundred dollars to defray the expenses of the suit depending between the town and the Mr. Hunttings, and one hundred dollars to defray the expenses of the suit depending between the town and Elnathan Parsons.

3d. That the public grass and Jeremiah Loper's Montauk be hired out this day at auction, and the money arising therefrom be paid to the supervisor, on the first Monday of September next.

4th. Voted that any fence equal to two rails with posts that is three feet and eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

5th. Voted that the members of the board of excise be and they are hereby requested not to grant any license to any person to sell or retail strong or spirituous liquors in this town for the ensuing year, for any less sum than thirty dollars.

6th. Voted that the same number of pews and slips in the meeting house be hired out the ensuing year as were the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same be appropriated to the necessary repairs of the house, and the residue towards the payment of the Rev. Mr. Condit's salary.

7th. Voted that the trustees of the town be requested to take care of the meeting house, and to prosecute all persons who shall do any injury to said house in any manner whatsoever, and to employ some suitable person to sweep the house, shut the doors and windows, and to ring the bell.

8th. Voted that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town, at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay one shilling per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

9th. Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the sixth day of May next ensuing and the twelfth day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded; provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such cattle or horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle or horses so impounded.

10th. Voted that no cattle be permitted to run at large on the commons or highways of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle, to be recovered with cost of suit by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

11th. Voted that the trustees of the town manage the parsonage land for the ensuing year.

12th. Voted that the commissioners of highways be authorized to exempt from the road tax all persons who will procure wagons and will use them on the public highways, that

measure four inches on the tire, for the period of three years ensuing the date hereof as they may be in possession and use of such wagons.

13th. Voted that the trustees of the town be requested to procure bulls for the use of the town and to pay for the services of them out of the funds of the town in their hands.

14th. Voted that the compensation of fence viewers be one dollar per day.

16th. Voted that the suit depending between the Mr. Hunttings and the town be referred to the care of the trustees of the town.

17th. Voted that the suit depending between Elnathan Parsons and the town be referred to the care of the trustees of the town.

18th. Voted that the trustees be authorized to grant to the Rev. Mr. Condit so much of the parsonage land as he may apply for, and upon the terms which they think proper.

19th. Voted that the unappropriated or unexpended money in the hands of the supervisor be paid over to the overseers of the poor immediately after auditing the town account.

20th. Voted that the parsonage land enclosed by Mr. Noah Barnes, be referred to the care of the trustees.

21st. Voted that Messrs. David Hedges, Jr., Josiah Mul-John T. Dayton, Samuel Miller, Henry D. Stratton, Talmage Barnes and Jonathan S. Conklin be and they are appointed a committee to take into consideration the case of the town paupers, and they have full power to take any measures or to form any plan which they may think best in order to lessen the support of the same.

22d. Voted that Mr. Huntting be paid the amount of his bill for the repairs of the base viol out of the church funds.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April, 1835, at the meeting house in this town, at 9 o'clock A. M.

The proprietors of Montauk voted the management of said

land into the care of the trustees of this town for the ensuing year.

Page 92.—Account of the hire of Napeague glades and other lands for the year ensuing.

Grass at Georgica hired by Nathaniel Conklin for. . . . \$1.10

Sedge flat at Accabonac hired by Asa Miller. 2.60

Napeague Glades.

Lot No. 1, David Conklin for.	3.70
“ 2, Stephen Sherry.	1.00
“ 3, Silas Sherman. . . . .	.70
“ 4, David A. Hedges. . . . .	.75
“ 5, Silas Sherman . . . . .	.50
“ 6, William Conklin.	1.60
“ 7, Silas Sherman . . . . .	.75
“ 8, Isaac B. Edwards . . . . .	.06
“ 9, Isaac B. Edwards . . . . .	.06

Account of Jeremiah Loper's Montauk.

1 beast right outside by Josiah Mulford. . . . .	.96
1 do. do. David A. Hedges	1.00
1 do. do. Lyman Loper	1.00
1 do. do. Samuel S. Dayton.	1.01
$\frac{3}{4}$ of a right in the field hired by Talmage Barnes.	2.75

Account of Parsonage Montauk,

1 beast right outside hired by Daniel Dayton.	1.00
1 do. do. do. Horace Isaacs.	1.00
1 do. do. do. Daniel Dayton.	1.00
1 do. do. do. Samuel S. Dayton.	1.00
1 do. do. do. Samuel King	1.01
1 do. do. do. Samuel King	1.01
1 right in the field hired by Jonathan B. Mulford.	3.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ right in the field hired by Uriah Miller	2.25

End of Book H.

Marks, 102.—Oliver Halsey, of Bridge Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop of the right ear, a halfpenny over the same ear, and a slope under the left ear. Recorded the 16th of April, 1834, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

William F. Howell, of Bridge Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear, a halfpenny over the same, and a nick under the right ear. Recorded the 16th of April, 1834, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

William F. Howell, of Bridge Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop of the left and a halfpenny over the same, and a slope under the right. Recorded the 16th of April, 1834, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Jeremiah Mulford enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear, a halfpenny upper side of the same, and a half penny under the right ear. Recorded the 12th of January, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Patrick T. Gould enters for his ear mark a slit in the right ear and an ell under the left. Recorded the 12th of January, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

103.—Daniel Dayton enters for his ear mark an ell under the right ear and a half penny in the ell. Recorded the 23d of January, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Daniel Dayton enters for his ear mark an ell under the left ear and a half penny in the ell. Recorded the 23d of January, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

David Baker, Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell under each ear and a half penny in each ell. Recorded the 27th day of January, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

David Baker, Jr., enters for his son Charles M. Baker, the following ear mark, to wit: an ell under side of each ear and a half penny on the upper side of each ear. Recorded January 28th, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book E, page 108.—Taken up by Thomas Edwards on the 25th day of November last, 1824, a red two or three years old steer, marked with a slope under the right ear and a half penny under the same and a slit in the left ear. Recorded February 7th, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 103.—Jonathan Miller, Jr., enters for his ear mark a slope over the left ear and a half penny under the same and a half penny over the right ear. Said mark stands recorded to Collins Miller, deceased, on page 102. Recorded February 7th, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

104.—Jacob Sehelling, of Amagansett, enters for his son Jeremiah Schellinger, the following ear mark, to wit: a half penny over the left and a hole through the right ear, said mark is recorded to Abraham Schellinger, deceased, on the 33d page of this book, and was purchased at the vendue of Abraham Schellinger, deceased. Recorded the 14th of February, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Samuel B. Gardiner enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a crop on the left ear and a half penny on the under side of the right ear and a slit in the same, said mark is recorded to Col. Abraham Gardiner for his son Nathaniel Gardiner, on the 35th page of this book. Recorded the 9th of March, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Henry Schellinger enters for his ear mark a crop on the left ear and a half penny on the under side of the right ear and a slit in the same, which mark he received in exchange with Samuel B. Gardiner, next above mentioned. Recorded the 9th of March, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

105—Samuel B. Gardiner enters for his ear mark a half penny over the left ear, which mark he received in exchange with Henry Schellinger, the above mark being recorded to Jacob Schellinger on the 78th page of this book. Recorded the 9th of March, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book K, page 1.—At an annual town meeting held at the meeting house, in the town of East Hampton, on the 7th day of April, 1835, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows, to wit :

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

Felix Dominy was chosen supervisor.

David Hedges, Jr., Lewis Edwards, Jonathan C. Schellinger, Thomas Osborn, Josiah C. Dayton, assessors.

John T. Dayton, Jonathan B. Mulford, David Sherry, commissioners of highways.

Samuel Miller, Uriah Miller, overseers of the poor.

James P. Mulford, constable and collector.

Charles Dimon, David Huntting, Thomas T. Parsons, commissioners of common schools.

David H. Miller, justice of the peace.

Joseph D. Condit, David Hedges, J., Charles H. Miller, inspectors of common schools.

John T. Dayton, Libbeus King, Daniel Osborn, Jr., Sylvester Ranger, Elisha H. Conklin, Daniel Dayton, David Sherry, Asa Miller, Edmund Tillinghast, Zephaniah Hedges, Uriah Miller, John Baker, trustees.

Jared Cook, Stephen Ranger, Thomas Edwards 3d, Frederick King, Lester Bennet, Joseph Dimon, Jeremiah J. Mulford, Isaac Hopping, Edmund Tillinghast, Joseph Miller, overseers of highways.

Baldwin C. Talmage, Felix Dominy, Lester Bennet, Albert Hand, Stephen Ranger, pound masters.

1st. Yards voted public pounds, Stephen C. Ranger's, Baldwin C. Talmage, Lester Bennet, Albert Hand.

2d. Voted that the sum of six hundred dollars, be levied and collected for the support of the poor, and one hundred dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

3d. Voted that the public grass and the Jeremiah Loper Montauk be hired out this day at auction and the money be paid for the hire of the same, on the monday of September next to the supervisor of this town.

4th. Voted that any fence equal to two rails, with posts that is three feet and eight inches high in the clear shall be considered a sufficient fence.

5th. Voted that the members of the board of excise be requested not to grant any license to any person to sell or retail strong or spiritous liquors in this town for the ensuing year.

6th. Voted that the same number of pews, and slips, in the meeting house be hired out the ensuing year as were the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the house, and the overplus towards the payment of the Rev. Mr. Condit's Salary.

7th. Voted that if any person, or persons, shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town, at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners, of the same to pay two shillings per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that so be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

8th. Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeaque, or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next ensuing and the 12th day of Sept. following shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such cattle or horses, to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle or horses so impounded.

9th. Voted that no cattle be permitted to run at large on the commons or highways of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle, to be recovered, with cost of suit by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant when recovered and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

10th. Voted that the trustees of the town manage the parsonage land for the ensuing year.

11th. Voted that the compensation of fence viewers be one dollar per day the year ensuing.

12th. Voted that the commissioners of highways, be authorized to exempt from the road tax all persons who will procure wagons and will use them on the public highways that measure four inches on the tire, for the period of three years ensuing, the date hereof as they may be in possession and use of such wagons.

13th. Voted that the suit depending between Elnathan

Parsons and the town be referred to the care of the trustees of the town.

14th. Voted that the unappropriated or unexpended money in the hands of the supervisor be paid over to the overseers of the poor immediately, after auditing the town accounts.

15th. Voted that parsonage land enclosed by Noah Barnes be referred to the care of the trustees.

16th. Voted that Messrs. David Hedges, Jr., Josiah Mulford, John T. Dayton, Samuel Miller, Henry D. Stratton, Talmage Barnes, Jonathan S. Conklin, and Uriah Miller, be and they are, hereby appointed a committee, to take into consideration the case of the town paupers and they have full power to take any measures or to form any plan which they may think best in order to lessen the expense arising from the support of the same.

17th. Voted to grant James M. Hunting, one seat in a pew or slip wherever he pleases to hire it, as a compensation for his services in singing in church, and the trustees pay for the same out of the pew money.

18th. Voted that the demand of Mr. Phillips be paid out of unappropriated money arising from the sale of the pews and slips.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next 1836, at the meeting house, in this town at 9 o'clock A. M.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees have authority to manage the affairs in relations to Montauk for the year ensuing.

An account of the meadow grass hired out for the year ensuing East-Hampton April 7th 1835.

Sedge flat at Accabonac.

To Asa Miller, for\$2.10

Grass at Georgica.

To Noah Barnes, for 2.30

Napeague Glades.

Lot No. 1, Nathan C. Barnes	3.00
“ 2, Silas Sherman.....	.70
“ 3, Stephen Sherry	1.05
“ 4, David Conklin.....	1.80
“ 5, Harvey Osborn	1.05
“ 6, Charles Barnes.....	1.10
“ 7, Samuel King	1.30
“ 8, Harvey Osborn .....	.10
“ 9, Henry Loper, Jr.....	.30

April 7, 1835.	Account of Jeremiah Loper's Montauk.
Noah Barnes, one beast right outside.....	.10
Silas Sherman, do. do.	1.05
Noah Barnes, do. do.	1.10
Jonathan C. Schellinger, do.	1.05
William G. Osborn, do. do.	1.00
John T. Dayton, $\frac{3}{4}$ right in the field	2.60

April 7, 1835.	Account of the Parsonage Montauk.
Noah Barnes, 1 beast right outside.....	1.00
Charles Barnes, do. do. ....	.95
Harvey Osborn, do. do. ....	.95
Charles Barnes, do. do. ....	.35
Isaac B. Miller, do. do. ....	.85
Isaac B. Miller, do. do. ....	.85
Isaac B. Miller, do. do. ....	.90
John Hedges, 1 right in the field	3.10
John T. Dayton, $\frac{1}{2}$ do do	1.75

At a special town meeting called by the town clerk and held pursuant to special notice, at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton on the 21st day of May, 1835, for the purpose of electing a supervisor to supply the vacancy of that office. David Hedges, Jr., was chosen supervisor.

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Marks 105.—Jonathan B. Mulford enters for his ear mark a nick over the right ear. Recorded the 22d of May, 1835 by

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Schuyler R. Conklin enters for his ear mark a half penny over the right ear and a nick under the same. Recorded to Geo. N. Stratton page 82. Recorded the 1st day of August, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Lemuel H. Halsey, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear, a slit in the same and a half penny on the upper and under side of the right ear. Recorded the 24th of August, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Lemuel H. Halsey, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop off the left ear and a half penny on the upper and under side of the right ear. Recorded the 24th of August 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Marks 106.—Jonathan C. Schellinger enters for his ear mark a half penny over the left ear and a nick under the same ear. Recorded the 7th of September, 1835, by

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Libeus King enters for his ear mark an ell over the right ear and a square crop at the left ear. Recorded the 9th day of February, 1836, by

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Capt. David Hedges enters for his ear mark a half penny

under the right ear and a nick over the left ear; I, David Hedges, have recorded the above ear mark for my grandson, Hiram B. Hedges. Recorded the 1st day of April, 1836, by
DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Jacob Schellinger enters for his ear mark a half penny over the right ear and a hole through the left. Recorded the 5th day of April, 1836, by

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Marks 106.—Isaac W. Miller enters for his ear mark a slope over the left ear, with a half penny under the same and an ell over the right ear. Recorded the 13th day of June, 1836, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

David Baker, Jr., enters for his son, Edward, the following ear mark (to wit) a nick over the left ear. Recorded the 21st day of June, 1836, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Marks 107.—Daniel Osborne, Jr., enters for his ear mark a nick under the left ear. Recorded June 21st, 1836, by
DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Capt. David Hedges enters for his grandson, Stephen Hedges, the following ear mark (to wit) a half penny under the right ear and a nick over the same ear. Recorded July 30th, 1836, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Book H, page 4½.—At the annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on Tuesday,

the 5th day of April, 1836, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows, viz:

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

David Hedges, Jr., supervisor,

James Edwards, Lewis Edwards, Uriah Miller, John T. Dayton, Jonathan C. Schellinger, assessors.

Jonathan B. Mulford, Henry D. Stratton, Sylvanus Parsons, commissioners of highways.

Samuel Miller, David Sherry, overseers of the poor.

James P. Mulford, constable and collector, to have three per cent for collecting.

David Baker, Jr., Thomas T. Parsons, Theron A. Filer, commissioners of common schools.

Charles H. Miller, Eleazer Conklin, David Huntting, inspectors of common schools.

Josiah C. Dayton, justice of the peace.

Stephen Ranger, Smith Miller, Thomas J. Mulford, Benjamin Bennett, Frederick King, David B. Mulford, Abner Strong, David A. Hedges, Edward Jones, overseers of highways.

Jeremiah Huntting, Jr., William Hedges, Stephen Hedges, Lewis Edwards, David B. Mulford, David Barnes, David Hedges, Jr., Thomas T. Hedges, Jonathan B. Mulford, Henry D. Stratton, Charles R. Hand, Henry P. Miller, trustees.

Stephen Conklin, Baldwin C. Talmage, Thomas Osborn, pound masters.

Yards voted public pounds. Elisha Osborn, Lester Bennett, Baldwin C. Talmage, Talmage Jones.

1st. Voted that the sum of four hundred dollars, be levied and collected for the support of the poor, and one hundred dollars, for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. Voted that the public grass, and the Jeremiah Loper, Montauk, be hired out this day at auction, and the money be

paid for the same on the first Monday of Sept. next to the supervisor of this town.

3d. Voted that any fence equal to two rails, with posts that is three feet and eight inches high in the clear shall be considered a sufficient fence.

4th. Voted that the members of the board of excise, be requested not to grant any license to any person to sell or retail strong or spiritous liquors. in this town for the ensuing year.

5th. Voted that the same number of pews, and slips, in the meeting house be hired out the ensuing year as were the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same, be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman's salary.

6th. Voted that is any person, or persons, shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners, of the same to pay two shillings per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved by the trustees.

7th. Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next ensuing and the 12th day of Sept. followings shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence the owner of such cattle or horses to pay fifty cents per head, for all such neat cattle or horses, so impounded.

8th. Voted that no cattle be permitted to run at large on the commons or highways of this town, from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter, until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle, to be recovered with cost of suit by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant

when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

9th. Voted that the trustees of the town manage the parsonage land for the year ensuing.

10th. Voted that the suit depending between Elnathan Parsons and the town be referred to the care of the trustees of the town,

11th. Voted that the chorister occupy one half of the slip formerly occupied by the clergyman, as a compensation for his services in singing.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1837, at the meeting house in this town, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees have authority to manage the affairs respecting Montauk, for the year ensuing.

Voted that the trustees as a committee keep the affairs respecting Montauk, in a book, separate from the town affairs.

Voted that the parsonage Montauk be hired out by the trustees at the same time the parsonage land is.

Account of the meadow grass hired out April 5th, 1836.

Sedge Flat at Accabonac.

To David D. Parsons, for.....\$2.65

Grass at Georgica.

To David Conklin, for..... 2.30

Napeaghe Glades.

Lot No. 1, Thomas Edwards..... 2.85

" 2, Jeremiah Dayton..... 1.40

" 3, Abraham Leek..... 2.00

" 4, Jeremiah T. Parsons..... 3.10

" 5, David Conklin..... 3.15

" 6, Abraham Leek..... 3.25

" 7, Jacob Hedges..... 2.00

" 8, William Baker..... 1.20

" 9, William Baker..... 1.45

Account of the Jeremiah Loper's Montauk.

Thomas J. Mulford, 1 beast right outside.....	.95
William Osborn, do. do. ....	.95
Asa Miller, do. do. ....	.90
Asa Miller, do. do. ....	.80
William Osborn, do. do. ....	.95
John T. Dayton, $\frac{3}{4}$ do. in field.....	2.80

Account of the Parsonage Montauk.

Asa Miller, 1 beast right outside.....	.80
Asa Miller, do. do. ....	.80
Asa Miller, do. do. ....	.90
Josiah C. Dayton, do. do. ....	.86
Josiah C. Dayton, do. do. ....	.80
Isaac Edwards, do. do. ....	.87
David Baker, Jr. do. do. ....	.90
Henry Loper, Jr., 1 do. in the field.....	3.15
Lewis Edwards, $\frac{1}{2}$ do. do.	2.40

We the subscribers certify that the foregoing minutes of the annual town meeting, held on the 5th day of April, 1836, are correct.

SAMUEL MILLER,
JOSIAH C. DAYTON,
Justices.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 216. (Abstract.) This indenture made the 25th day of April, 1836, between Benjamin Bennett and his wife Betsey, Zadock Bennett and his wife Phebe, Richard King and his wife Rachel, and L. Beecher Bennett, all of the town of East Hampton, &c., parties of the first part, and Henry Bennett, of the same place, party of the second part, Witnesseth that the said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to them in

hand paid, have sold and quit claimed unto the party of the second part, (in his actual possession now being) and to his heirs forever, all of a certain tract of land lying in the town of East Hampton, at a place called Three Mile Harbor, containing twenty-one acres, more or less, bounded westerly by the old Three Mile Harbor highway, northerly by land of Joseph Edwards, eastwardly by land of Thompson King, southwardly by land of Baldwin C. Talmage, with all the appurtenances whatsoever, to have and to hold the same forever.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year first above written.

BENJAMIN BENNETT, [L. s.]

BETSEY BENNETT, [L. s.]

RACHEL KING, [L. s.]

LYMAN B. BENNETT, [L. s.]

Sealed and delivered in
presence of
Samuel Miller.

Book E, page 108.—Taken up by Oliver H. P. Chapman, of East-Hampton, a red brindle dog, white feet, middleing size. Recorded March 6th, 1837.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Book K.—At the annual town meeting held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton on the 4th day of April, 1837, the town officers were chosen, and the town laws were passed as follows, viz :

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

David Hedges, Jr., supervisor.

David Baker, Jr., Josiah C. Dayton, Sylvanus Jones, justices.

Jonathan C. Schellinger, Lewis Edwards, Jeremiah Dayton, William Hedges, Jonathan B. Mulford, assessors.

Samuel Miller, David Sherry, overseers of the poor.

James P. Mulford, collector.

James P. Mulford, Jared Cook, constables.

Nathaniel Huntting, Thomas Osborne, John Baker, commissioners of highways.

Henry B. Tuthill, Samuel B. Gardiner, Henry D. Stratton, commissioners of common schools.

Theron A. Filer, Charles H. Miller, A. D. Candy, inspectors of common schools.

Sylvanus Parsons, David Gardiner, Daniel Dayton, Benjamin Hedges, Abner Strong, John T. Dayton, Abraham V. Scoy, Samuel Osborn, A. D. Candy, John Baker, Isaac B. Miller, David Talmage, trustees.

Stephen Ranger, William Baker, Abner Strong, Charles R. Hand, Jared Cook, Frederick King, Henry B. Tuthill, Edward Jones, Henry Bennett, Henry Osborn, Sylvanus Parsons, overseers of highways.

Stephen Conklin, Albert Hand, Edward Jones, pound masters.

Talmage Jones', Albert Hand's yards voted public pounds.

1st. Voted that the sum of one thousand dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and two hundred dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. Voted that the public grass, and the Jeremiah Loper Montauk, be hired out this day at auction, and the money be paid for the same on the first Monday of September next, to the supervisor of this town.

3d. Voted that any fence equal to two rails, with posts that are three feet eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

4th. Voted that the same number of pews and slips in the meeting house be hired out the ensuing year, as were the last, excepting the two front slips on the south side of the meeting house, and the money arising from the rent of the

same be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman's salary.

5th. Voted that the front slip on the south side of the meeting house be reserved for the accomuodation of the Rev. Mr. Ely and his family.

6th. Voted that the Messrs. Huntting occupy the 2d front slip on the south side of the meeting house as a compensation for their services in singing.

7th. Voted that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay two shillings per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

8th. Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next ensuing and the 12th day of Sept. following, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such cattle or horsos to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle or horses so impounded.

9th. Voted that no cattle be permitted to run at large on the commons or highways of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle to be recovered, with cost of suit, by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant when recovered, and the other half for the support of the poor of this town.

10th. Voted that the trustees manage the parsonage lands for the year ensuing.

11th. Voted that the trustees be authorized to sell one-eighth of parsonage, Montauk, and appropriate the money in building or purchasing a parsonage dwelling house.

12th. Voted that the trustees be authorized and requested to sell the parsonage wood at Georgica and at Accabonac, and appropriate the money in the building or purchasing a parsonage dwelling house.

13th. Voted that the trustees be authorized to hire as much money as they may find necessary to defray the expense of procuring the said above mentioned parsonage house.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April next, 1838, at the meeting house in this town, at 11 o'clock A. M.

We the subscribers certify that the foregoing minutes of the annual town meeting, held on the 4th day of April, 1837, are correct.

SAMUEL MILLER,

DAVID H. MILLER,

Justices.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Page 9.—Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees be authorized to manage the affairs of Montauk for the year ensuing.

Account of the meadow grass hired out April 4th, 1837, for the year ensuing.

Sedge Flat at Accabonac.

To Tillinghast Hedges, for\$2.00

Georgica Flat or Meadow Grass.

To Robert L. Hedges, for..... 1.35

Napeague Glades.

Lot No. 1, David Conklin..... 3.15

“ 2, Jeremiah Dayton..... 2.15

“ 3, Isaac B. Edwards..... 1.05

" 4, Isaac B. Edwards	1.15
" 5, Isaac B. Edwards	2.00
" 6, Jeremiah T. Parsons.....	2.50
" 7, David Conklin.....	2.30
" 8, Henry Loper, Jr.....	1.35
" 9, Henry Loper, Jr.....	1.90
Account of the Jeremiah Loper Montauk.	
Joseph Osborn, Jr., 1 beast right outside .....	.55
Joseph Osborn, Jr., " " .....	.60
Septimus Osborn, " " .....	.55
Isaac B. Edwards, " " .....	.53
John T. Dayton, $\frac{3}{4}$ do. in the field.....	2.90

Account of the Parsonage Montauk.

Charles Dimon, 1 beast right outside.....	.50
David Baker, Jr., " " .....	.50
Samuel L. Mulford, " " .....	.50
Samuel L. Mulford, " " .....	.56
Frederick King, " " .....	.54
Joseph Dimon, " " .....	.55
David Baker, Jr., " " .....	.50
David Conklin, 1 do. in the field.....	3.05
Lewis Edwards, $\frac{1}{2}$ do. do.	2.30

Page 9 $\frac{1}{2}$.—Voted that the supervisor pay to any person who will bring him a fox, or the skin thereof, and produce satisfactory evidence that the said fox was killed in this town, the present year, the sum of twenty-five cents for each and every fox under six months old, and fifty cents for every fox over six months old so killed, the same to be paid out of any money belonging to this town in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The above vote ought to have been the second recorded, but was omitted in its proper place, through mistake.

Book E, page 103.—We, the commissioners of highways in the town of East-Hampton, have laid out a highway twelve rods wide, from the road or highway leading from Amagansett to Montauk, beginning at a place called Shaw's hollow and running as far east as Teeny's hole, through the first tier of meadow glades south of the old road or highway; the road as it now is to be the centre of the highway.

Dated at East-Hampton this 15th day of May, 1837.

JOHN BAKER,
NATHANIEL HUNTING,
THO. OSBORN.

Commissioners.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks 107.—Baldwin C. Talmage enters for his ear mark a half penny on each side of the right ear and a crop off each ear, said mark purchased of Jonathan King and recorded to him on the 83d page of this book. Recorded June 15th, 1837, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book E, page 108.—Taken up by David Barns the — day of — 1837, three heifers supposed to be 3 years old, one of them being a brindle, the other two red; one of the last mentioned having white in the head, all of them having the following ear mark, viz: a slit in the right with a half penny under it and a hole in the left. Recorded November 17th, 1837, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 107.—Zadoc Bennett enters for his hear mark two nicks under the right ear and a half penny under the left Recorded Nov. 50th, 1837,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book K, page 9½.—At a special town meeting called by the Town Clerk and held pursuant to special notice at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on the 15th day of January, 1838, Samuel B. Gardiner and Josiah C. Dayton were elected Justices of the Peace and Henry D. Stratton, overseer of the poor.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

The above minutes of said meeting we certify to be correct.

DAVID H. MILLER,

SILVANUS JONES,

Justices.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Page 10.—At the annual town meeting held at the meeting house, in the town of East-Hampton, on the 3d day of April, 1838, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows, viz :

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

David Hedges, Jr., was chosen supervisor.

Samuel B. Gardiner, Josiah C. Dayton, Hiram L. Sherry, Justices.

William Hedges, John Dayton, Isaac B. Miller, Talmage Barnes, Smith Miller, assessors.

Henry D. Stratton, James P. Mulford, overseers of poor.

Isaac Schellenger, collector.

Isaac Schellinger, Jared Cook, Theron A. Filer, constables.

Thomas Osborn, Jonathan B. Mulford, Jeremiah Dayton, commissioners of highways.

Abel Huntington, David Huntting, Charles B. Loper, commissioners of common schools.

Daniel Dayton, A. D. Candy, Charles H. Miller, inspectors of common schools.

Henry D. Stratton, Nathaniel Huntting, Jonathan B. Mul-

ford, Josiah C. Dayton, David Hedges, Jr., Baldwin C. Talmage, Isaac Edwards, Samuel B. Gardiner, Charles Barnes, Thomas Osborn, Charles H. Miller, Smith Miller, trustees.

Charles R. Hand, Jeremiah Terry, William D. Parsons, George Hand, Samuel H. Miller, Elisha H. Conklin, Isaac Edwards, Ezekiel Jones, William L. Osborn, overseers of highways.

Stephen Conklin, pound master.

Page 10½.—1st. Voted that the sum of nine hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor in this town for the year ensuing.

2d. Voted as it was last year.

3d. Passed as it was last year.

4th. Passed as before.

5th. Passed as before.

6th. Passed as before.

7th. Passed as before.

8th. Passed as before.

9th. Passed as before.

10th. Passed as before.

11th. Voted that the trustees have full authority to defend the seaweed on Benj. Leek's beach; also to make a proposition to Wm. D. Parsons giving him all the sea weed on the inside of the beach, and reserve for the town all the seaweed on the outside or bay side of said beach.

12th. Voted that the money in the hands of the supervisor, or as much of it as necessary, be appropriated to the expense of Doct. Wattles' suit against the town in case he commences one, and further that the meeting considers the charge made by Doct. Wattles against the town illegal, and inexpedient to pay the same.

Page 11.—13th. Voted that the trustees be authorized to purchase Hannah Hedges' place at North West for a poor house, or for the accommodation of this town's poor.

14th. Voted that the supervisor be instructed to use his efforts, at the meeting of the Board of Supervisors, to introduce the county poor system in this town, and to make all the poor in this county a county charge.

15th. Voted that the trustees have power to sell the following pieces of parsonage land or any part of them for the purpose of paying for the parsonage house, viz: parsonage at Jerico, the point peice of land by Abraham Fithian's and the parsonage at Three Mile Harbor.

Adjourned to meet again on the 1st Tuesday in April, 1839, at the meeting house in this town at 12 o'clock, noon.

We, the subscribers, certify that the foregoing minutes of the annual town meeting held on the 3d day of April, 1838, are correct.

DAVID H. MILLER,
SYLVANUS JONES.

Justices.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Page 11½.—Voted by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees be authorized to manage the affairs of Montauk the year ensuing.

Account of the meadow grass hired out April 3d, 1838, for the year ensuing.

Sedge Flat at Accabonac.

To Tillinghast Hedges, for.....\$2.00

Grass at Georgica.

To A. D. Candy..... .80

Napeague Glades.

Lot No. 1, Talmage Barnes, for 1.15

“ 2, Charles Barnes..... .50

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9,

Account of the Jeremiah Loper Montauk.

1	beast	right	outside	to	William	Osborn,	for.36
1	do.		do.		A. D.	Candy	.....	.37	
1	do.		do.		William	Osborn	.....	.38	
1	do.		do.		Joseph	Dimon	.....	.37	
$\frac{3}{4}$	do.			in	the	field	to	Samuel T. Dayton	..... 3.01

Book H, page 31 $\frac{1}{2}$.—3d district, bounded east by the 2d district, south by the ocean, west by a division line running from the beach banks, northerly between the lands of Benjamin Hedges and Capt. David Hedges, David Baker and David A. Hedges, Joseph Barns and the common land at Skimhampton, and Harry Dayton and the heirs of Enoch Fithian, thence to cross Amagansett highway at the intersection of Abraham's Road, and to follow said road until it comes to old Accabonac highway, thence easterly until it comes to the 6 pole highway that goes to Amagansett Two Holes Water, to follow said highway through to Barns' Hole highway, then to follow said Barnes' Hole highway to the bay.

4th district, bounded north by the bay, south-east and south by the 3d district, and west by a line running from the intersection of Abraham's Road into the Accabonac highway to the house of —— Lester, at the head of the harbor, (including said house).

DAVID H. HUNTTING,
CHARLES B. LOPER,
Commissioners.

Recorded March 19th, 1839, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk,

Book G, page 211.—Whereas frequent difficulties arise respecting the boundary lines of Amagansett street in consequence of there being no reoad of said street, and in conformity with the request of many of the inhabitants of Amagansett villago, we, the undersigned Commissioners of Highways of the town of East-Hampton, do, after much examination of such testimony as can be collected, and all circumstances relative thereto, proceed by virtue of the laws of this state regulating highways in Suffolk County, passed February 23d, 1830, to survey, stake out and record such width of highway as appears to be necessary for the public convenience.

Therefore we, the said commissioners do commence at a stone placed near by the house of Jonathan C. Schellinger and opposite his front, which is the corner A on the plot, and running from thence north 59 degrees, east 21 poles 84-100 to the east corner of Samuel Schellinger's house, which is the corner, B, as is also represented on the plot; from thence north $58\frac{1}{4}$, east 138 poles 52-100 to the east corner of Thomas B. Hand's house; from thence on the same course $53\frac{1}{4}$ north, east 35 poles 6-100 to a stone near by and opposite the land belonging to Nathaniel Hand, and which is the corner C on the plot; from thence we proceed across the highway on a course south $31\frac{1}{2}$, east 16 poles 20-100 to a stone placed opposite the land of Ezekiel Payne's, and is the corner D on the plot; from thence on a course south $62\frac{1}{2}$ north, 144 poles to a stone placed opposite Talmage Barnes' barn, which is the corner E on the plot: from thence south 57 west, 52 poles 50-100 to a stone placed opposite the land of Benjamin Hedges, and is the corner F on the plot; from thence north $24\frac{1}{4}$ degrees west 7 poles to the place of beginning; all of the enclosed land by the above mentioned courses and distances we, the said commissioners, do record as a public highway forever.

Annexed to this we have drawn a plot of the said Amagansett street, and recorded a field book which contains all of the different courses and distances which are now staked off and measured.

FIELD BOOK.

First course, north 59, east 21 81-100 poles.

2 " " 58 $\frac{1}{4}$, " 138 52-100 "

3 " " " " 35 16-100 "

4 " south 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ east 16 20-100 "

5 " " 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ west 144 56-100 "

6 " " 57 " 52 56-100 "

7 " north 24 $\frac{1}{4}$ " 7

Dated at East-Hampton this first day of April, 1839, and recorded in the records belonging to the town.

JEREMIAH DAYTON,
JONATHAN B. MULFORD,
THOMAS OSBORNE.

Commissioners of Highways.

Book K, page 11.—At the annual town meeting held in the town of East-Hampton on the 2d day of April, 1839, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows:

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

David Hedges, Jr., was chosen supervisor.

David H. Miller was chosen justice of the peace.

William Hedges, Talmage Barnes, Asa Miller, Daniel Dayton, Abraham V. Scoy, Joseph Osborn, Jr., Isaac Schellinger, John T. Dayton, Edmund Tillinghast, David A. Hedges, David A. Edwards, Stephen Sherril, chosen trustees.

James Edwards, Smith C. Miller, Jonathan C. Schellinger, Smith C. Miller, John T. Dayton, Isaac B. Miller, chosen assessors.

James P. Mulford, Henry D. Stratton, chosen overseers of the poor.

Theron A. Filer, chosen collector.

Jared Cook, Theron A. Filer, chosen constables.

Hiram L. Sherry, Jonathan B. Mulford, Charles Dimon, chosen commissioners of highways.

Abel Huntington, David H. Huntting, Eleazer M. Conklin, chosen commissioners of common schools.

Samuel R. Ely, Charles H. Miller, Henry B. Tuthill, chosen inspectors of common schools.

Joseph Edwards, Samuel Osborn, Alfred Ranger, Baldwin C. Talmage, Stephen L. Hedges, Samuel King, Josiah C. Dayton, Thomas S. Hedges, Hezekiah Edwards, Samuel L. Mulford, chosen overseers of highways.

Stephen Conklin and Nathaniel Hand chosen pound masters, and their yards voted public pounds.

1st. Voted that the sum of twelve hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor in this town for the year ensuing.

2d. Voted that the public meadow grass and the Jeremiah Loper Montauk, be hired out the day that the pews and slips are, and the money to be paid for the same on the 1st Monday of September next to the supervisor of the town.

3. Voted that any fence equal to two rails with posts, that are three feet eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

4th. Voted that the same number of pews and slips be hired out the ensuing year as were the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman's salary.

5th. Voted that the front slip on the south side of the house be reserved for the accommodation of Mr. Ely and his family.

6th. Voted that the Messrs. Hunttings have liberty to oc-

cupy the 41st slip, on the south side of the house, as a compensation for their services in singing.

7th. Voted that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay two shillings per head for each sheep so impounded, Wainscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved of by the trustees.

8th. Voted that all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next ensuing, and the 12th day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such cattle or horses to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle or horses so impounded.

9th. Voted that no cattle be permitted to run at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter, until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle to be recovered, with cost of suit, by the supervisor; the one half to be paid to the complainant when recovered, and the other half to the support of the poor of this town.

10th. Voted that the trustees manage the parsonage lands for the year ensuing.

11th. Voted that the trustees have full authority to defend the sea weed on Benjamin Leek's beach, &c.

12th. Voted that the supervisor be authorized to use his efforts at the meeting of the board of supervisors to introduce the county poor system for this town, and to make all the poor in this county a county charge.

13th. Voted that the money in the hands of the supervisor, arising from the sale of Cedar Island, be appropriated, as much of it as necessary, to the contingent expenses of the town.

14th. Voted that the supervisor be authorized to loan the public money in his care, to the parish if requested.

15th. Voted that the trustees have full power to defend the sea weed on Long Beach and to retain the privilege of carting sea weed as heretofore.

16th. Voted that three per cent be allowed the collector as his compensation for collecting.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in April, 1840, at the meeting house in this town, at 12 o'clock, noon.

We, the subscribers, certify that the foregoing minutes of the annual town meeting held on the 2d day of April, 1839, are correct.

DAVID H. MILLER,
SAMUEL B. GARDINER,
JOSIAH C. DAYTON.

Justices.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

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SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
ALBANY, Jan. 15, 1840. }

DAVID HEDGES, JR., Esq., Supervisor, &c. :

DEAR SIR: After a confinement to my room for several days by sickness, I have this day got into my office again, and I now forward to you, as I promised, a copy of the determination of the dispute respecting the line of division between Southampton and East-Hampton.

Copy, &c.

Whereas a dispute having arisen between the officers of the towns of Southampton and East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk and State of New-York, respecting that part of the bounds of said town, which constitute the dividing line between them, and said dispute having been represented to me by the officers of the town of Southampton, whereof notice was by me given to the officers of the town of East-Hampton, and a surveyor, (to wit) Edwin Rose, was by me appointed, with instructions to survey said dividing line and ascertain its true place on the ground, report his doings in this matter to me, and a day having been fixed for receiving and hearing the allegations and proofs of the parties in this dispute; and such allegations and proofs, together with the report of the said surveyor, embracing a map and description of said line according to the survey executed, pursuant to the appointment and instructions aforesaid, and verified by the affidavit of the said surveyor, made before Hugh Halsey, Esq., first Judge of the County Court of said county, and dated November the 30th, 1839, having been received and examined by me.

Now therefore, pursuant to authority on me conferred by Section 5th, of title 6th, of chapter 8th, of part 1st of the Revised Statutes of the State of New-York, I do hereby determine and declare that the line heretofore usually known and recognized as the line of division between the said towns, which line is laid down on the map aforesaid, now on file in this office, a copy of which is hereto annexed, described and designated thereon by the letters A. B. C. D. E. F. G. H. I. L. O. O., and by the cross or mark X is the line intended and established by law as the true line of division between the said town of Southampton and East-Hampton.

“Done at the office of the Surveyor General of the State of New-York, this first day of January in the year of our Lord, 1840, by me,

O. L. HOLLY, Surveyor General.

"Such is the determination, having the map annexed, as filed by me in the office of the Secretary of State in obedience to the statute on this subject."

The determination was placed on the plain and settled principle that long usage had settled the place of the line, by furnishing a practical interpretation of the description of the bounds of these town, aided by the fact that the line as now settled, agrees with the wording of those descriptions as well as any other location of the line.

This fact will appear plain by a mere inspection of that wording, which is as follows, to wit; "The town of East-Hampton shall contain all that part of said County, (namely Suffolk County) called East-Hampton, including Montauk and the Isle of Wight, now called Gardiner's Island. So the description of Southampton runs thus, "The town of Southampton shall contain all that part of said County (of Suffolk) called and known by the name of Southampton, including Bridge-Hampton heretofore called Saggaboneck and Mecox. It is clear from these descriptions that it was assumed, in adopting the wording of them, that the bounds of the towns were well known and already recognized as perfectly established; and as the law expressly provides (R. S. Vol. 3 page 134, 2d section 57, title 4, chap. 2 h p1) that the assignment of the bounds of towns, as civil corporations, shall not affect private title or the bounds of patents, so the determination in this case is unembarassed by any of the delicate questions connected with titles to real estate. Such is a brief view of the grounds on which the determination of this dispute has been made.

Very respectfully your obt. servant.

O. L. HOLLY, Surveyor General."

"Recorded this 2d day of February, eighteen Hundred and forty-one by

CHARLES H. MILLER,

Supervisor of the town of East-Hampton.

P. S. As I have received no line from you since my letter informing you of my decision, I take it for granted that you have a copy of the surveyor's map, and therefore I do not make a copy of the one sent here to be filed. If you should ever want such a copy however, it can be had by writing for it to me or to the Secretary of State.

NOTE.—Then follows a certified copy of a map of said division line, which map is filed in the office of the Surveyor General of the State of New-York, and it seems unnecessary to reproduce a copy in this work. J. S. O.

Book K, page 14.—At the annual town meeting, held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on the 7th day of April, 1840, the town officers were chosen, and the town laws were passed as follows, viz :

David Baker, Jr., was chosen town clerk.

Charles H. Miller, supervisor.

Sylvanus Jones, justice of the peace.

Josiah C. Dayton, David H. Miller, Jeremiah Dayton, Jonathan B. Mulford, Elisha H. Conklin, assessors.

David Huntting, Isaac Edwards, overseers of the poor.

Theron A. Filer, collector.

Theron A. Filer, Jared Cook, constables.

Sylvanus Parsons. Charles Dimon, Hiram L. Sherry, commissioners of highways.

George L. Huntington, Eleazer M. Conklin, Samuel B. Gardiner, commissioners of common schools.

Samnel R. Ely, David Hedges, Jr., Stephen L. Hedges, inspectors of common schools.

Jeremiah Conklin, Josiah C. Dayton, Samuel B. Gardiner, Thomas T. Hedges, David Hedges, Jr., Sylvanus Parsons, Isaac Edwards, Jeremiah Dayton, Jonathan B. Mulford, Henry P. Miller, Henry D. Stratton, trustees.

Stephen Conklin, David Lester, pound masters.

LesterBennett's yard voted public pound.

Jared Cook, George Hand, Samuel G. Mulford, Charles H. Miller, Henry Bennett, A. D. Candy, George Baker, David A. Edwards, Sidney H. Stratton, Alfred Ranger, Jonathan Miller, Jr., overseers of highways.

1st. Voted that the sum of twelve hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor in this town for the year ensuing, and seventy-five dollars for the contingent expenses of the town.

2d. Voted that the public meadow grass and the Jeremiah Loper, Montauk, be hired out the day that the pews and slips are, and the money arising for the same be paid to the supervisor on the 1st Monday of Sept. next.

3d. Voted that any fence equal to two rails with posts that are three feet, eight inches high in the clear shall be considered a sufficient fence.

4th. Voted that the same number of pews and slips be hired out the ensuing year as were the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman's salary.

Adjourned to meet at the meeting house on the 1st. Tuesday in April, 1841, at 12 o'clock, noon.

We, the undersigned, certify that the foregoing minutes of the annual town meeting, held on the 7th day of April, 1840, are correct.

DAVID H. MILLER,
JOSIAH C. DAYTON.

Justices.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Page 15.—5th. Voted that the slip No. 32 on the south side of the meeting house be reserved for the accommodation of Mr. Ely and his family.

6th. Voted that the trustees procure a chorister to take the lead of singing in church for the year ensuing.

7th. Voted that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to be on the commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded. the owner or owners of the same to pay two shillings per head for each sheep so impounded, Wairscott flock excepted, and that to be under the care of a shepherd approved by the trustees.

8th. Voted that all horses and neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side, from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next ensuing, and the 12th day of September following, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such horses or cattle to pay fifty cents per head for all such neat cattle or horses so impounded.

9th. Voted that no cattle be permitted to run at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall or winter until they go on again in the spring, under the penalty of one dollar per head for all such cattle, to be recovered, with cost of suit, by the supervisor, the one half to be paid to the complainant, when recovered, and the other half to the support of the poor of this town.

10th. Voted that the trustees manage the parsonage lands and affairs for the year ensuing.

11th. Voted that the trustees have full authority to defend the sea weed on Benjamin Leek's beach, also to make a proposition to Mr. William D. Parsons, giving him all the seaweed on the inside of the beach, and reserve for the town all the sea weed on the outside or bay side of said beach.

12th. Voted that the trustees have full power to defend the

sea weed on Long Beach and to retain the privilege of carting sea weed as heretofore.

13th. Voted that the trustees be authorized to purchase a house and land for the accommodation of this town's poor, also to procure a superintendent of the same.

14th. Voted that three per cent be allowed the town collector as his compensation for collecting.

15th. Voted that the board of auditors be a committee to advise with the supervisor, respecting the payment of the bill presented for running the division line between this and Southampton town, and that the supervisor be authorized to hire money to pay the same, if allowed ; also to get a plot of the line, and with the supervisor of Southampton, to procure monuments to place on said line.

16th. Voted that the whole amount due from the parish for the parsonage house, and six months' salary of the Rev. Mr. Ely, be levied on the taxable property of this town and collected by the town collector.

Book E, page 109.—Taken up by Jonathan Osborn on the day of November, 1840, a red two year old heifer marked with a slit in the left ear. Recorded 23d, 1840, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

108.—Richard Lester, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear a slope under the same and half penny under the right ear. Recorded Jan. 5th, 1841, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Richard Lester, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his son George L. Lester, the following ear mark, viz : a crop at the left ear, a slope under the same, and a nick under the right ear. Recorded January 15th, 1841, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Page 16.—At the annual town meeting, held at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton, on the 6th day of April, 1841, the town officers were chosen and the town laws were passed as follows :

David Baker, Jr., was elected town clerk.

Charles H. Miller was elected supervisor.

Josiah C. Dayton, justice of the peace.

Lewis Edwards, Stephen Hedges, John Baker, William Hedges, David Hedges, Jr., assessors.

David Huntting, Isaac Edwards, overseers of the poor.

William Parsons, collector.

William Parsons, Theron A. Filer, constables.

Thomas Osborn, David Hedges, Jr., Isaac B. Miller, commissioners of highways.

George L. Huntington, Henry B. Tuthill, Samuel B. Gardiner, commissioners of common schools.

Samuel R. Ely, Stephen L. Hedges, David H. Huntting, inspectors of common schools.

Silvester D. Ranger, William L. Osborn, David H. Miller, William Baker, Schuyler R. Conklin, Smith Miller, David H. Huntting, Jeremiah J. Mulford. Abner Strong, Charles R. Hand. David Barnes, John T. Dayton, trustees.

David D. Parsons, Alben D. Schellinger, Edmund Tillinghast, Asa Miller, Theron A. Filer, Harvey Osborn, Abraham V. Scoy, Abner Strong, Lester Bennet, Isaac S. V. Scoy, path masters.

Stephen Conklin, pound master.

1st. Voted that the sum of eleven hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and one hundred and fifty dollars for the contingent expenses for the year ensuing.

2d Voted that the public grass and Jeremiah Loper's Montauk, be hired out this day at auction and the money be paid for the same on or before the first day in September next to the supervisor.

3d. Passed as it was last year.

4th. Passed as before.

5th. Passed as before.

6th. Passed as before.

7th. That if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep or suffer their sheep to run on the commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay two shillings per head for each sheep so impounded.

8th. Voted that all horses &c as in 1840.

9th. Passed as in 1840.

10th. Passed as in 1840.

11th. Passed as in 1840.

12th. Passed as in 1840.

13th. Passed as in 1840.

14th. Passed as in 1840.

15th. Voted the trustees be authorized to sell the wood on the parsonage lot at Grassy Hollow, or the parsonage wood land at Three Mile Harbor for the purpose of paying the debts against the parish, exclusive of the minister's salary.

16th. Voted that it be left discretionary with the trustees as a committee, to decide in what manner funds may be raised, sufficient to pay the ministerial debt.

Adjourned to meet at the meeting house, on the first Tuesday in April, 1842, at 12 o'clock, noon.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the foregoing minutes of the annual town meeting held on the 6th day of April, 1841, are correct.

DAVID H. MILLER,
SILVANUS JONES.

Justices.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Voted By the proprietors of Montauk, that the trustees manage the Montauk affairs the year ensuing.

Marks, 10S.—Mulford Osborne enters for his ear mark a crop at the right ear, a slope under the same and a half penny under the left. Recorded April 26th, 1841,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk

David Lester, Jr., enters for his son David T. Lester's ear mark a crop at the right ear a slope under the same and a nick under the left. Recorded May 19th, 1841,

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

George Baker enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear and a half penny over the same and a hole through the right. Recorded Feby. 28th, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Schuyler R. Conklin enters for his son George E. Conklin, the following ear mark, viz: a half penny under the left and a nick under the right. Recorded Aug. 10, 1841,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 213.—At a meeting of the commissioners of highways in the village of Sag-Harbor, town of East-Hampton and county of Suffolk, at the office of Fred'k W. Lord, in said village, on the 6th day of May, 1841, all the said commissioners having met and deliberated on the subject of this order, it is ordered and determined by the said commissioners that the highways hereinafter enumerated be altered and laid out according to the following survey which the commissioners have caused to be made thereof, as follows, to wit:

East Water Street (so called) from stone placed in centre line of north Division St. 0 chain 24 links south of the stone, at the intersection of the centre line of north Division street and the south side of the west end of East Water street, south 61 deg 45 min., east is the course of a south line of a three

rod highway extending easterly as far as the hill near Jeremiah Mulford.

Division street, commencing at red stone in town line near Aaron Clark's house, north $21\frac{1}{4}$, west to south line of Union street, distance 3.25 chains to centre line of Sage street, 3.61 chains, to north line of Sage street, 9.89 $\frac{1}{2}$ chains to stone in town line at its intersection with the centre line of Washington street, north $53\frac{1}{2}$ deg. west along centre line of Washington, 3.36 chains to stone in centre line of Washington, at its intersection with the east side of Church St. Division street north of Washington, commencing at stone on town line at its intersection with centre line of Washington street, north $21\frac{1}{4}$ deg. west to stone in front of Herman D. Sayres' at angle in centre line of north Division street. Division street course ; north 14 west along the centre line of north Division st., 1.12 chain to centre of Rector street, 9.87 chains to stone on the south side of west end of East Water street.

Hampton street, commencing at a red stone in the town line in front of Aaron Clark's, south 38 deg. 40 min., east 2.23 chains to Eden Latham's and David Smith's, south $47\frac{3}{4}$ deg. east 1.23 $\frac{1}{2}$ chain from Eden Latham's north east corner to angle on south side of Hampton St, south $86\frac{1}{2}$ east 1.25 chain from same point, to the south west corner of Mrs. Mulford's dooryard wall, north 37 deg. east from same point to angle on north side of Hampton St., at division line between David Smith and Ahira Hand. Hampton St., course south $64\frac{1}{4}$ deg. east from south west corner of Mrs. Mulford's stone wall of her door yard fence along north side of Hampton street, 1.95 chains to west side of St., 2.78 $\frac{1}{2}$ chains to east side of St., 6.14 $\frac{1}{2}$ chains to south west corner of Francis D. Overton's yard wall Hampton St., 0.96 chains wide opposite Mrs. Mulford's, south west corner of door yard, 93 links do. do., south west corner of Overton's yard south 67 deg. 50 min. east, 6.66 chains.

From angle at southeast corner of Charles Deering's door yard. Hampton street, opposite Deering's, is 4 rods wide, south $67\frac{1}{2}$, east 6.84 chains to angle on north side of street, width of street 0.92 chain, south $78\frac{1}{2}$, east 1.95 chain to angle on north side of street near Thomas Corey's, 0.89 chain distance across to Corey's fence, north $88\frac{3}{4}$ deg., east 1.20 chain to angle on north side of street, 4 rods wide. *

FRED'K. W. LORD,
DANIEL T. BELLGWS,
JOHN HILDRETH.

Commissioners of highways.

Recosded this 15th day of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-one,

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Book K, page $17\frac{1}{2}$.—At the annual town meeting held at the meeting house, in the town of East-Hampton, on the 5th day of April, in the year 1842, the town officers were elected and the town laws were passed as follows. viz :

David Baker, Jr., was elected town clerk.

Charles H. Miller, supervisor.

Henry B. Tuthill, justice of the peace.

John T. Dayton, Eli Parsons, Nathaniel Huntting, Henry D. Stratton. Samnel T. King, assessors.

David H. Huntting, Issac Edwards, overseers of the poor.

William Parsons, collector.

William Parsons, Jared Cook, constables.

Samuel R. Ely, Abel Huntington, inspectors of common schools.

Samuel D. Gardiner, Eleazer M. Conklin, Geo. L. Huntington, commissioners of common schools.

David H. Miller, Jeremiah Dayton, David A. Edwards, commissioners of highways.

George S. Miller, Jeremiah Conklin, Samuel B. Gardiner,

Isaac Edwards, David A. Edwards, Daniel Dayton, Josiah C. Dayton, Jeremiah Dayton, Abraham V. Scoy, Charles Barnes, Stephen L. Hedges, Isaac S. Osborn, trustees.

Nathaniel Huntting, Jeremiah Terry, Schuyler R. Conklin, Albert Hand, John T. Dayton, Jeremiah T. Parsons, Thomas B. Hand, Abraham Parsons, Jr., David A. Edwards, Charles Dimon, Jonathan Miller, Jr., overseers of highways.

Stephen Conkling, Albert Hand, Aaron F. Conklin, pound masters.

Albert Hand's and Nathaniel Hand's yards voted public pounds.

1st. Voted that the sum of one thousand dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and sixty dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

2d. Voted that the public grass and Jeremiah Loper's, Montauk, be hired out this day at auction, and the money be paid for the same on or before the 1st day of Sept. next, to the supervisor.

3d. Passed as in 1840.

4th. Passed as in 1840.

5th. Passed as in 1840.

6th. Passed as in 1840.

7th. Passed as in 1840.

8th. Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the 6th day of May next and the 12th day of September shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such horses or cattle to pay fifty cents per head for all such horses or neat cattle so impounded, the whole of the money to go to the person impounding said cattle or horses.

9th. Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found

running at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk, in the fall until they go on again in the spring, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses or cattle to pay one dollar per head, to be recovered, with cost of suit, by the supervisor.

The condition of this vote is such that horses are not prohibited from running at large on Napeague as usual; one half of the money to be paid to complainant, the other half to the overseers of the poor.

10th. Voted the trustees manage the parsonage lands and affairs for the year ensuing.

11th. Passed as in 1840—1.

12th. Passed as in 1840—2.

13th. Passed as in 1840—3.

14th. Passed as in 1840—4.

15th. Passed as in 1841—5

16th. Passed as in 1841—6.

17th. Voted that all geese or goslings that shall be found running in the street between Abraham Parson's mill and Samuel Osborn's corner, shall be liable to be impounded, penalty 25 cents per head for every goose or gosling so impounded, with cost of suit, one half of the money to be retained by the pounder, the other half to be paid to the overseers of the poor; also all the geese or goslings that shall be found running at large in the villages of Amagansett and Wainscott, within their respective school districts, shall be liable to be impounded, and upon the same conditions as above mentioned.

Adjourned to meet again at the meeting house, in this town, on the first Tuesday of April, 1843, at 12 o'clock, noon

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

DAVID H. MILLER,

SAMUEL B. GARDINER,

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,

SILVANUS JONES,

Justices.

Voted By the propoprietors of Montauk that the trustees of this town manage the Montauk affairs the year ensuing.

109—David Sherman, of Amaganset, enters for his ear mark an ell over the right ear and a nick under the same and a half penny over the left ear. Recorded May 10th, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

David Conklin enters for his ear mark a hollow crop at each ear and a nick under each. Recorded June 17th, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Nathan H. Dimon enters for his ear mark a hollow crop at the left ear, and a square crop at the right ear, and a half penny over the same. Recorded June 18th, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Henry M. Chatfield enters for his son, John H. Chatfield, enters the following ear mark a cropped ell over the right ear and an ell under the left ear. Recorded June 21st, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Henry M. Chatfield enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear and two half pennies under the right ear. Recorded June 21st, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Henry M. Chatfield enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear. Recorded June 21st, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Patrick T. Gould enters for his ear mark a square yew in the right ear. Recorded June 21st 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Mark 110.—Sidney H. Stratton enters for his ear mark a crop at the right and a slit in the same ear. Re-corded June 28th, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Sidney H. Stratton enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear, and a slit in the same ear. Recorded June 28th, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Page 110.—Isaac Schellinger enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear and a nick over the same. Recorded June 28th, 1852, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 217.—Know all men by these presents that whereas differences have arisen and exist, relating to the existence and opening of a certain highway lying on the line between the towns of East and Southampton, which said highway is hereinafter named and described, and whereas we the undersigned, are anxious and willing to settle the said differences and difficulties amicably and without resort to law or incurring expense, and to prevent any dispute hereafter, therefore this instrument witnesseth that we, James Strong and Elizabeth H. Strong, the widow of Jesse Strong, the owners of the land adjoining the highway herein described, do hereby release, quit-claim and remit all our and each of our interest and right, claim and demand to the land over which the said highway passes, so far as to recognize and admit that there is now an open highway of the width of two rods, commencing at the east end of Danis Lane and running from thence in nearly a southerly direction to the Atlantic Ocean, the same being on the line between the towns of

East and South Hampton, the public forever to have and to hold the said highway free from any claim, obstruction or hindrance by us, or our heirs hereafter to be made.

And we, the commissioners of the towns of East and South Hampton, do hereby consent and agree, in consideration of the release and waiver by the said James Strong and Elizabeth H. Strong, of all or any claim they have or conceive they have, to the said road or highway by reason of non-usage, obstruction or abandonment, to permit the said James and Elizabeth to keep up bars on any part of the line of said highway up to and until the first day of June, 1843, and not longer, though said bars and all other impediments and obstructions then, by the said James and Elizabeth, to be removed without notice from the commissioners of either of the said towns, and in default of their removing the said bars or other obstructions, then that the commissioners of either of said towns may remove the same, without giving any notice, and declare and record the said highway as an open public highway of the width of two rods from thenceforth forever.

In witness whereof we have hereto affixed our respective names and names of offices this 10th day of September, 1842, and also our seals.

DAVID A. EDWARDS,
JEREMIAH DAYTON,
DAVID H. MILLER.

Commissioners of highways of East-Hampton.

ALBERT JAGGER,
GEORGE S. POST.

Commissioners of Southampton.

JAMES STRONG, [L.S.]
ELIZABETH H. STRONG. [L.S.]

Sealed, delivered and sworn in presence of

SAMUEL L. GARDINER.

Recorded Oct. 4, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 215.—Whereas application has been made to us the undersigned Commissioners of highways of the town of East-Hampton. in the county of Suffolk, to ascertain, describe and cause to be made of record, a certain old highway in the said town, called the Neck Path.

At a meeting therefore of the undersigned commissioners as aforesaid, held in the said town, at the house of Thomas T. Parsons, on the 12th day of September, 1842, all the commissioners having met and deliberated on the subject of this order, it appearing to the said commissioners that the said road called the Neck Path, leading from the highway that runs from the Springs to Gardiner's Bay at Louse Point, to the highway that runs from Amagansett to Gardiner's Bay at the said Louse Point has been used as a public highway for twenty years preceding the 21st day of March, 1797, and has been worked and used as such constantly for the last six years, but has not been recorded as the said commissioners can find, it is ordered by the said commissioners that the said road be ascertained, described and entered of record, and the said commissioners do further order that the description, courses and distance of said road be according to a survey which they have caused to be made of the same as follows: commencing at the northern end where it now intersects with the aforesaid highway leading from the Springs to Gardiner's bay at Louse Point, and running southerly or southwesterly between the lands of Gardiner Miller and Benjamin Lester, and the lands of others as the road or path now runs, until it intersects at its southern end or termination with the highway that runs from Amagansett to Gardiner's bay, at Louse Point, as aforesaid, a little to the eastward of Barzillai King's house, the whole length of said road or neck path, being 328 rods, And we do further ascertain and order that the said road is, and that the same be, twenty-four feet in width, and that the

centre of the path or beaten track as it now runs be the centre of the said road or highway.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our name this 12th day of September, 1842.

JEREMIAH DAYTON,
DAVID H. MILLER,
DAVID A. EDWARDS,

Commissioners.

The above order reversed by the Judge's appeal made by Gardiner Miller.

Field Book of the Neck Path starting from a cross on the dotted line at a point bearing from the house of Benjamin Lester, north 86, east distance 2 chains. 75 links; from thence south in the centre of the Neck Path, according to the following courses and distances.

South $16\frac{1}{2}$ degrees east, 2.97 chains.

"	$23\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	2.77	"
"	$31\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	4.05	"
"	39	"	"	4.85	"
"	43	"	"	5.66	"
"	37	"	"	4.22	"
"	$26\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	5.34	"
"	$28\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	3.11	"
"	19	"	"	4.28	"
"	$29\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	7.06	"
"	43	"	"	3.62	"
"	$58\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	4.42	"
"	$53\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	1.53	"
"	66	"	"	2.73	"
"	43	"	"	3.08	"
"	30	"	"	3.62	"
"	$39\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	2.51	"
"	$53\frac{1}{2}$	"	"	2.28	"

South 41 degrees east, 2.84 chains.

"	61	"	"	3.36	"
"	51½	"	"	2.48	"
"	31½	"	"	2.54	"
"	38½	"	"	2.79	"

82.09 chains and links or
328.36 rods.

Whereas on the first day of October, in the year 1842, Gardiner Miller, of town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk, appealed to Hugh Halsey, Henry Landon and Joshua B. Smith, three of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the said County, from the order and determination of the Commissioners of Highways of said town, bearing date the 12th date of October, in the year 1842, copies of which said appeal and order are hereunto annexed. And after the expiration of twenty days from the making of the said order and determination of the said Commissioners of Highways, the said Judges appointed the time and place of the hearing of the said appeal to be on the 16th day of November, in the year 1842, at the house of Thomas T. Parsons, in the said town of East-Hampton, and caused written notices of the said appeal specifying therein that the said Judges would convene at the said time and place to hear the said appeal, to be served on the said Commissioners at least eight days before the time and place of convening as aforesaid, in the manner presented and directed by the statute in such case made, and the said Judges convened at the time and place mentioned in the said notice, to hear the proofs and allegations of the parties and such proceedings, when therefore had, that having heard the said proofs and allegations, the said Judges therefore adjudged and decided, and do adjudge and decide that the order and determination of the said Com-

missioners of Highways aforesaid, be, and the same is hereby reversed.

In witness whereof the said Judges have hereunto set their hands this 17th day of November, in the year 1842.

HUGH HALSEY,
HENRY LANDON,
JOSHUA B. SMITH.

Judges.

Recorded this 14th day of September, 1842, by

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

110—Frederick King enters for his ear mark a nick over each ear. Recorded Nov. 9th, 1842.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

William Hand enters for ear mark a half penny under the right ear, and a slope over the left, said mark is recorded to his father, Mulford Hand, on the 59th page of this book. Recorded Nov. 17th, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Isaac B. Edwards enters for his ear mark a slope over the right ear and a half penny each side of the left. Recorded Nov. 21st, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

David Conklin enters for his ear mark a hollow crop at each ear and a half penny under each ear. Recorded Dec. 3d, 1842,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

At the annual town meeting, held in the meeting house, in the town of East-Hampton, on the 4th day of April, in the

yyar 1843, the town officers were elected, and the town laws were passed as follows :

David Baker, Jr., was elected town clerk.

Charles H. Miller, supervisor.

Samuel B. Gardiner, justice of the peace.

David H. Huntting, Isaac Edwards, John T. Dayton, Thomas Osborn, Sylvanus Jones, assessors.

Sylvanus G. Edwards, Stephen L. Hedges, overseers of the poor.

William Parsons, collector.

Edmund Conklin, William Parsons, constables.

Josiah C. Dayton, Hiram L. Sherry, Frederick King, commissioners of highways.

Samuel B. Gardiner, Geo. L. Huntington, Jonathan C. Schellinger, commissioners of common schools.

Samuel R. Ely, Abel Huntington, inspectors of common schools.

David Hedges, Jr., Henry D. Stratton, inspectors of election

Henry P. Miller, Josiah Mulford, Sylvanus Parsons, David Hedges, Jr., Frederick King, Seyuyler R. Conklin, William Hedges, David Barnes, David A. Hedges, Elias M. Parsons, Charles R. Hand, David H. Huntting, trustees.

Isaac W. Miller, Henry Mulford, Giles S. Havens, Asa Miller, Horace Isaacs, Chauncey Osborn, Jonathan D. Parsons, Eli Parsons, Thomas J. Mulford, John Baker, Jared Cook, overseers of highways.

Stephen Conklin, Aaron F. Conklin, Thomas Osborn, pound masters.

Voted that the Commissioners of Excise be, and they are hereby requested not to grant any license for retailing spiritous liquor in that part of the town belonging to Sag-Harbor.

Voted that that sum of twelve hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and sixty dollars for the contingent expense of the town for the year ensuing.

Voted that the public grass and Jeremiah Loper Montauk be hired out this day, at auction, and the money arising from the meadow grass, paid to the Supervisor, and the money arising from the hire of the Montauk be paid to the overseers of the poor on or before the 1st day of September next.

Voted that the act respecting bounty on foxes be repealed and stricken from this book.

Voted that any fence equal to two rails, with posts that are three feet eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

Voted that the same number of pews and slips be hired out the ensuing year as were the last, and the money arising for the rent of the same be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman's salary.

Voted that the slip No. 32 on the south side of the meeting house be reserved for the accommodation of Mr. Ely and his family.

Voted that the Trustees procure a chorister to take the lead of singing in church for the year ensuing.

Voted that if any person or persons shall keep any flock of sheep, or suffer their sheep to be on the common lands or highways of this town at any time during the year ensuing, all such sheep shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of the same to pay two shillings per head for each sheep so impounded.

Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next and the 12th day of Sept. shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such horses or cattle to pay fifty cents per head for each horse or neat beast so impounded, the whole of the money to

go to the person or persons impounding said horses or cattle.

Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found running at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall until they go on again in the spring, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses or cattle to pay one dollar per head, to be recovered, with cost of suit, by the supervisor, the one-half of the money to be paid to the complainant, the other half to the overseers of the poor.

Voted, that the trustees manage the parsonage lands and affairs for the year ensuing.

Voted, that the acts respecting sea weed on Long Beach and Benjamin Leek's beach, be repealed and stricken from this book.

Voted, that the overseers of the poor associated with Samuel Miller, David Hedges, Jr., and William D. Parsons, as a committee, be authorized and requested to hire or purchase a house and land as they see fit for the accommodation of this town's poor.

Voted, that three per cent be allowed the town collector for his services collecting.

Voted, that the act respecting geese be repealed.

Adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday of April, 1844, at the meeting house, at 12 o'clock, noon.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

DAVID H. MILLER,

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,

HENRY B. TUTHILL,

SYLVANUS JONES.

Justices.

Jeremiah T. Parsons, Jr., enters for his ear mark a half penny over each ear and a nick under the left. Recorded April 28th, 1843,

Book G, page 218.—Order for laying out a highway through enclosed and unclosed without the consent of the owners.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk. held at the house of Josiah C. Dayton, in said town on the 19th day of May, 1843, for the purpose of deciding upon the application of Edmund Mulford and twenty-five others upon oath, for laying out a highway through the enclosed land of Gardiner Miller, Abraham Miller and Benjamin Lester, and unenclosed lands of Benjamin Hedges, Jacob Schellinger, Howell Babcock and Jeremiah Conklin, which all of the above mentioned reputable freeholders have duly sworn that it was necessary and proper, and that the public good required the said highway to be laid out, all the said commissioners having met and deliberated on the subject embraced in this order.

It is therefore ordered and determined by the said commissioners, that a highway be laid out pursuant to said application, commencing at a highway leading from the Springs to Joseph Miller's, and running through the Neck Path until it intersects the two holes water highway leading to Amagansett, bounded on the northeast side by a ditch and hedge fence enclosing the lands of Gardiner Miller, the heirs of Henry Schellinger. Silvanus Miller and the unenclosed land of Jeremiah Conklin.

The courses and distances whereof, according to a survey thereof which the said commissioners have caused to be made, are as follows: Beginning at a point bearing from the north corner of Benjamin Lester's house, north 75 deg. east distant 2.55 chains; from thence south 25 deg. east distant 2.90 chains; from thence south 31, east distant 3.58 chains; from thence south $41\frac{1}{2}$, east 4.50 chains; from thence south 42, east 5.60; from thence south $27\frac{1}{2}$, east 4.84; from thence south 28, east 2.97 chains; from thence south $19\frac{1}{2}$, east 4.47

chains : from thence south $29\frac{1}{2}$, east 7.57 chains ; from thence south $32\frac{1}{4}$ east 5.73 chains ; from thence south 51, east 4.25 chains ; from thence south 47, east 2.69 chains ; from thence south $60\frac{3}{4}$ east 4.69 chains ; from thence south $31\frac{1}{4}$, east 5.07 to a point where it intersects two holes water leading to Amagansett, and bearing from this point of intersection to the south corner of Samuel Bennett's house, north $9\frac{1}{2}$, east 9.71 chains

And it is further ordered that the line above described shall be the centre of the said highway, and that the said highway shall be of the width of three rods.

In witness whereof the said commissioners have hereunto subscribed their names the 19th day of May, 1843.

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,
FREDERICK KING,
HIRAM L. SHERRY.

Commissioners of Highways.

Recorded May 26th, 1843,

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Marks 111.—Edward Jones enters for his ear mark a slit in the right ear and a half penny under the same ear. Recorded Nov. 8th, 1843.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Henry Osborn enters for his ear mark a nick under the right ear. Recorded Jan. 27th, 1844.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book G. 220.—Order for laying out a highway through enclosed and unenclosed lands without the consent of the owners.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk, at the house of Josiah C. Dayton, in said town, on the 18th day of March, 1844, for the purpose of deciding on the application of Abraham Hunting, for laying out a highway passing through

the unenclosed land of John Stratton and the enclosed land of John T. Dayton, which twelve reputable freeholders of the said town have duly certified that it was necessary and proper to lay out, all the said commissioners having met and deliberated on the subject embraced in this order, and due notice of the time and place of said meeting having been given to the said John Stratton and John T. Dayton, it is ordered and determined by the said commissioners, that a highway be laid out by pursuant to said application, commencing at the northwest end of Long Lane, running thence about a north-westerly course through the open lands of John Stratton and the unenclosed lands of John T. Dayton until it meets a highway leading to the two holes water highway, the courses and distances whereof, according to a survey thereof, which the said commissioners have caused to be made, are as follows: Beginning at a stake H, bearing from the corner I, between the lands of John Stratton and Samuel Parsons, dec'd, south 45, west 1.55 chains; thence running through the lands of John Stratton, north 7 deg. west 9.57 chains to a stake; thence through the lands of the said John Stratton and John T. Dayton, north $71\frac{3}{4}$, west 6.73 chains to a stake meeting a highway leading into the two holes water highway, which stake C is $16\frac{1}{2}$ links from the north corner of John T. Dayton's land.

And it is further ordered that the line above described shall be the centre of said highway, and that said highway shall be of the width of three rods.

In witness whereof the said commissioners have hereunto subscribed their names the 18th day of March, 1844.

HIRAM L. SHERRY,
FREDERICK KING,
JOSIAH C. DAYTON.

Recorded April 2d, 1844,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book K, page 21½.—At the annual town meeting held in the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton on the 2d day of April, 1844, the town officers were elected and the town laws were passed as follows:

David Baker was elected Town Clerk.

Abel Huntington, supervisor.

Sylvanus Jones, justice of the peace.

Isaac Edwards, Hiram L. Sherry, Jonathan C. Schellinger, Henry D. Stratton, John T. Dayton, assessors.

Stephen L. Hedges, Sylvanus G. Edwards, overseers of the poor.

William Parsons, Collector.

William Parsons, William H. Babcock, constables.

David D. Parsons, Baldwin C. Talmage, Josiah C. Dayton, commissioners of common schools.

David Baker, Jr., town supt. of common schools.

Samuel Miller, David Hedges, Jr., inspectors of election.

Jeremiah Conklin, Henry Mulford, H. D. Stratton, Isaac B. Edwards, Daniel S. Edwards, James H. Topping, Thomas T. Hedges, David H. Miller, Jeremiah Dayton, James P. Mulford, John T. Dayton, Hiram L. Sherry, trustees.

Samuel Miller, John T. Dayton, David S. Dayton, David A. Edwards, Edward Jones, Nathaniel T. Parsons, Jeremiah Hunnting, John Baker, Jared Cook, Henry Bennett, Gorden Miller, path masters.

Stephen Conklin, Thomas Osborn, pound masters.

Elisha Osborn's yard voted public pound.

Voted that the commissioners of excise be and they are hereby requested not to grant any license for retailing spiritious liquors, in that part of the town belonging to Sag-Harbor, provided there is none granted in the town of South-ampton.

Voted that the sum of twelve hundred and fifty dollars, be

raised for the support of the poor, and eighty dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted that the sown collector be allowed three per cent for all the money by him collected. as a compensation for his services.

Voted that the meadow grass and Jeremiah Loper, Montauk be hired out this day at auction, and the money arising from the hire of the grass be paid to the supervisor, and the money arising from the hire of the Montauk to the overseers of the poor, on or before the 1st day of September next.

Voted that any fence equal to two rails, with posts that are three feet eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

Voted that the same number of pews and slips be hired out the ensuing year as were the last, and the money arising from the rent thereof be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman's salary.

Voted that the slip No. 32 on the the south side of the house be reserved for the accomodation of the Rev. Mr. Ely.

Voted, that the trustees procure a chorister to take the lead of singing in church for the year ensuing.

Voted, that all sheep found grazing or running at large on any of the streets, highways, common lands or town commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay 25 cts. per head for every sheep so impounded, to be recovered with cost of suit in any court having cognizance thereof by the person or persons impounding said sheep, who shall be entitled to one half of the money when recovered, and the other half to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the benefit of this town's poor.

Voted, that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beach-

es on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next and the 12th day of Sept. shall be liable to be impounded provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such horses or cattle to pay fifty cents per head for each horse or neat beast so impounded, the whole of the money to go to the person or persons impounding said horses or cattle.

Voted, that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found running at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk, in the fall, until they go on again in the spring, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses or cattle to pay one dollar per head, to be recovered with cost of suit by the supervisor, the one half of the money to be paid to the complainant, the other half to the overseers of the poor.

Voted, that the trustees manage the parsonage lands and affairs for the year ensuing.

Voted, that the overseers of the poor, associated with Samuel Miller, David Hedges, Jr., and William D. Parsons as a committee, be authorized and requested to hire or purchase a house and land as they see fit for the accommodation of this town's poor. Repealed.

Voted, that Hannah Barnes' bill presented against the town, be referred to the attention of the town auditors. Repealed.

Voted, that no person be entitled to sea weed in consequence of heaping it on any of the shores in this town.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday of April, 1845, at 12 o'clock noon, at the meeting house.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk
JOSIAH C. DAYTON,
SYLVANUS JONES.

Justices.

111.—Lyman B. Bennett enters for his ear mark a half penny under the left ear and a nick under the right. Recorded May 29th, 1844.

Benjamin Bennett enters for his ear mark a half penny under the right ear and two nicks under the left ear. Recorded May 29th, 1844,

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Daniel Osborn, Jr., enters for his ear mark the two following: a slit in the right ear and a nick under the left: also a slit in the right ear and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded June 22d, 1844.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 112.—George Miller enters for his ear mark a half penny under each ear, and a crop at the right, and a slope over the left. Recorded January 10th, 1845.

DAVID BAKER, JR. Town Clerk.

Book E, page 109.—Taken up by Jonathan Miller, Jr., on the 16th day of January, 1845, a red two year old steer with two white hind feet, broad horns, ear mark as follows: a square crop at the right and a half penny under it and a crop at the left ear and a slope under the same. Recorded January 24th, 1845, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 112.—Stephen Hedges enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear and a half penny under the same, and a half penny under the right ear. Which he says he bought of Jeremiah Mulford. Recorded March 24th, 1845,

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Stephen Hedges enters for his ear mark a half penny over

the left ear, and a half penny under the right ear, which he says he bought of Jeremiah Mulford. Recorded March 24th, 1845, by

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Page 23½.—At the annual town meeting held in the town of East Hampton, on the 1st day of April, 1845, the town officers were elected and the town laws were passed as follows :

David Baker, Jr., was elected town clerk.

Samuel B. Gardiner, supervisor.

Josiah C. Dayton, justice of the peace.

David H. Huntting, Stephen L. Hedges, John Baker, William D. Parsons, Thomas Osborn, assessors.

Sylvanus M. Osborn, Hiram L. Sherry, overseers of the poor.

William Parsons, collector.

William Parsons, Edmund Conklin, constables.

Samuel B. Gardiner, Henry Mulford, William Hedges, commissioner of Highways.

Henry B. Tuthill, superintendent of common schools.

Inspectors of election, David Hedges, Jr., Samuel Miller, elected. George Hand, appointed.

Charles R. Hand, Sylvester D. Ranger, Samuel B. Gardiner, David H. Huntting, David Barnes, William L. Osborn, Josiah C. Dayton, Henry B. Tuthill, William Baker, Jonathan A. Parsons, Henry P. Miller, David A. Edwards, trustees.

Book K, page 24.—Henry B. Tuthill, Samuel P. Osborn, Wm. A. King, Jared Cook, Ezekiel Jones, Abraham Van Scoy, Samuel L. Mulford, Albert L. Hedges, James Topping, Joseph Miller, path masters.

Stephen Conklin, Wm. L. Osborn, pound masters.

Voted, that the Commissioners of Excise be and they are &c. as in 1844.

Voted, that the sum of nine hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and eighty dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted, that the town collector be allowed three per cent on all moneys by him collected, and no more.

Voted, that the meadow grass and Jeremiah Loper, Montauk, &c as in 1844.

Voted, that any fence equal to two rails with posts &c as in 1844.

Voted, that the same number of pews and slips &c the same as in 1844.

Voted, that the slip No. 32 on the south side of the house be reserved &c as in 1844.

Page 24½.—Voted, that the trustees procure a chorister to take the lead in singing in the church for the year ensuing.

Voted, that all sheep found grazing or running at large on any of the streets, highways, common lands, &c as in 1844.

Voted. that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found &c as in 1844.

Voted, that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found running at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall &c as in 1844.

Voted, that the trustees manage the parsonage lands and affairs for the year ensuing.

Voted, that no person be entitled to seaweed in consequence of heaping it on any of the shores in this town.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees manage all Montauk affairs for the year ensuing.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday of April, 1846, at the meeting house, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,
SYLVANUS JONES,
SAMUEL B. GARDINER.

Justices.
DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Marks, 112.—Maltby Rose, of Bridge-Hampton, enters for his ear mark a half penny on the upper and under side of the left ear and a slope under the right ear, bought of Stephen Hedges, and stands recorded to him on the 97th page of this book. Recorded June 28th, 1845.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book G, page 218. [Abstract.] This Indenture made the 8th day of August, 1845, between Lewis L. Bennett and Asenath, his wife, of the town of East Hampton, &c. of the first part, and Samuel C. Bennett, of same place, party of the second part, witnesseth, that the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of twenty-five dollars to them in hand paid by the party of the second part, have bargained and sold unto said party of the second part, and to his heirs forever, all that lot of land situated on the road leading from Amagansett to a place called East Side, in said town of East Hamton, containing eight acres, more or less, and bounded as follows; northeastwardly by the land of Isaac Barns, southwest partly by an highway and partly by common land, southeast by land of Thomas Mulford, to have and to hold the same forever, and do warrant and defend.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year first above written.

LEWIS L. BENNETT, [L.S.]

ASENATH BENNETT. [L.S.]

Sealed and delivered in presence of

Timothy P. Congdon.

Marks, 113.—David Lester, Jr., enters for his ear mark an ell over the left ear and a slit in the right. Recorded January 4th, 1846.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

113.—Herman Strong enters for his ear mark a cropped ell over the right ear and a half penny over the left ear. Recorded January 24th, 1846.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

Book K, page 25.—At the annual town meeting, held in the town of East-Hampton, on the 7th day of April, 1826, the town officers were elected and the town laws were passed as follows :

David Baker, Jr., was elected town clerk.

Stephen L. Hedges, justice of the peace.

Geo. L. Huntington, supervisor.

Assessors and term of office, Thomas J. Mulford, for 1 year, Isaac B. Miller, for 2 years, Hiram L. Sherry, for 3 years.

Hiram L. Sherry, Sylvanus M. Osborn, overseers of the poor.

Samuel P. Osborn, collector.

Samuel P. Osborn, Schuyler R. Conklin, constables.

Commissioners of highways and term of service, Jonathan D. Parsons, 1 year, Josiah C. Dayton, 2 years, Henry Mulford, 3 years.

David B. Van Scoy, superintendent of common schools.

Inspectors of election, David Hedges, Jr., Samuel Miller, elected, George Hand, appointed.

Stephen Ranger, David D. Parsons, Jeremiah Huntting, Daniel Dayton, Stephen L. Hedges, William Hedges, Jeremiah Conklin, John T. Dayton, Daniel Osborn, Jr., Isaac Edwards, Jeremiah J. Mulford, Schuyler R. Conklin, trustees.

Page 25½.—David H. Huntting, Collins P. Terry, Jonathan A. Parsons, William A. King, Baldwin C. Talmage, Samuel T. King, George Baker, Daniel Dayton, William L. Barnes, Isaac Kirg, path masters.

Stephen Conklin, John Dayton, ponnd masters.

Voted, that the sum of twelve hundred dollars be raised

for the support of the poor, and forty dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted, that the meadow grass and Jeremiah Loper, Montauk, be hired out this day at auction, and that the money arising from the hire of the grass be paid to the supervisor, and the money arising from the hire of the Montauk to the overseers of the poor before the first day of Sept. next.

Voted, that any fence equal to two rails, with posts that are three feet eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

Voted, that the same number of pews and slips be hired out the ensuing year as were last, and the money arising from the rent thereof, be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman.

Voted, that all sheep found grazing or running at large on any of the streets, highways, common lands or town commons of this town, at any time during the year ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep so pay 25 cts. per head for every sheep so impounded, to be recovered, with cost of suit, in any court having cognizance thereof, by the person or persons impounding such sheep, who shall be entitled to one half of the money when recovered, and the other half to be paid to the overseers of poor for the benefit of this town's poor.

Voted, that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found running at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall, until they go on again in the spring, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses or cattle to pay one dollar per head, to be recovered, with cost of suit, by the supervisor the one half of the money to be paid to the complainant and the other half to the overseers of the poor.

Voted, that horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing

ar running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk, to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the 6th day of May next and the 12th day of September ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owner of such horses or cattle to pay 50 cts. per head for each horse or neat beast so impounded, the whole of the money to go to the person or persons impounding such horses or cattle.

Toted that slip No. 32 on the south side of the meeting house be reserved for the accommodation of the clergyman.

Voted, that the trustees manage the parsonage lands and affairs for the year ensuing.

Voted, that no persons be entitled to sea weed in consequence of heaping it on any of the shores in this town.

Voted, by the proprietors of Montauk that the trustees manage all Montank affairs for the year ensuing.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday of April, 1847, at the meeting house, at 1 o'clock P. M.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

HENRY B. TUTHILL,

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,

SYLVANUS JONES,

Justices.

At a town meeting held in this town on the 19th day of May, 1846, in compliance to an act passed May 14th, 1845, in relation to excise, and to licensing retailers of intoxicating liquors, the votes were taken and the result of the election as follows, viz :

The whole number of ballots given having the word "license" thereon was forty-eight.

And the whole number of ballots given having the words "no license" thereon was eighty-three.

Moved and seconded by the meeting that George L. Hunt-

ington, Supervisor, be appointed as one of the presiding officers of this meeting.

We hereby certify that the foregoing minutes of the town meeting relating to license or no license are correct in all respects.

DAVID BAKER, JR., Town Clerk.

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,

SYLVANUS JONES,

GEORGE L. HUNTINGTON,

Justices of the Peace.

Marks, 113.—Samuel H. Edwards enters for his ear mark a hole in the left ear and a crop at the same and an ell over the right. Recorded June 17th, 1846.

DAVID BAKER, Jr., Town Clerk.

Page 27.—At the annual town meeting held in the town of East Hampton, on the 6th day of April, 1847, the town officers were elected and the town laws were passed as follows :

David Baker was elected town clerk.

George L. Huntington, supervisor.

David H. Miller, justice of the peace.

Jonathan C. Schellinger, assessor.

Hiram L. Sherry, Sylvanus M. Osborn, overseers of the poor.

Samuel P. Osborn, collector.

Samuel P. Osborn, Schuyler R. Conklin, constables.

Jonathan Osborn, Jr., commissioner of highways.

David B. V. Scoy, superintendent of common schools.

Inspectors of election, David Hedges, Samuel Miller, elected ; George Hand, appointed.

Trustees, William L. Barnes, Benjamin Hedges, Isaac King, David H. Hunting, Abraham V. Scoy, James P. Mulford, David H. Miller, David Barnes, Daniel S. Edwards, Stephen Sherrill, Samuel B. Gardiner, Asa Miller.

Pound masters, Stephen Conklin, Aaron F. Conklin.

Path masters, Samuel B. Gardiner, Josiah C. Dayton, John E. Parsons, Jason M. Terbell, William C. Hand, Miller Bennett, Thomas J. Mulford, A. D. Candy.

Page 27½.—That the sum of twelve hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and one hundred and eighty for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted that the meadow grass and Jeremiah Loper Montauk, &c., passed as in 1846.

Voted that any fence equal to two rails, &c., passed as in 1846.

Voted that all of the pews and slips be hired out in the meeting house and the money arising from the rent thereof be appropriated to defray the necessary expenses of the meeting house, and the overplus towards the payment of the clergyman's salary.

Voted that all sheep found grazing or running at large, &c. passed as in 1846.

Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found, &c. passed as in 1846.

Voted that all horses, &c. passed as in 1846.

Voted that the slip No. 32, &c. passed as in 1846.

Voted that no person be entitled to seaweed in consequence of heaping it on any of the shores of thistown.

Voted that the trustees manage the parsonage lands, and affairs for the year ensuing.

Voted that the matter respecting Mr. Nathaniel Hunting's claim against the town for the common land be referred to the consideration of the trustees. This vote was taken in 1846 and omitted in recording by mistake.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday of April, 1848, to meet at the meeting house at 1 o'clock P. M.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.
SYLVANUS JONES,
JOSIAH C. DAYTON,
STEPHEN L. HEDGES,
SAMUEL B. GARDINER,
Justices.

Marks, 113.—Edwin Hedges enters for his ear mark a slope under the left ear. Recorded March 20th, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Henry P. Hedges enters for his ear mark a slope under the right ear and a hole through the left. Recorded March 20th, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Jeremiah O. Hedges enters for his ear mark a slope under the right ear. Recorded March 20th, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

James H. Topping enters for his ear mark a crop at the left ear and a slit in the same ear. Recorded March 20, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

At a meeting held in the town of East Hampton on the 27th day of March, 1848, in compliance with an act passed May 14th, 1845, in relation to excise and to licensing retailers of intoxicating liquors, the ballots of the electors were taken and the result of the canvas as follows, viz:

The whole number of votes given having the word "License" thereon was one hundred and one, and the whole number of votes given having the words "No License" thereon was eighty-seven. Total 188.

Book G, page 222.—Whereas it appears from the records in the Town Clerk's office of the town of East-Hampton, that a highway was laid out at Accabonac Springs, May 17th, 1729, and also that another highway was on the 8th day of January, 1730-31 laid down to the town of East-Hampton by Jeremiah Mulford on the northwest side of the close,

neither of which are sufficiently described upon said records, and whereas William D. Parsons, Henry P. Miller and Abraham Parsons, trustees of school district No. 4 in said town, being interested in the location of said highway, did on the 25th day of March, 1848, make application to the Commissioners of Highways of the town of East-Hampton, to define and locate the said highways we, Josiah C. Dayton, Jonathan Osborne, Jr., and Henry Mulford, commissioners of highways of said town, having met and deliberated upon the subject of this application, do order that the said highways be ascertained, described and entered of record in the Clerk's office in the said town. And we, the said Commissioners, after a full investigation of the whole subject, do agree and decide that the said highways are located upon a broad and open space of ground at the Accabonac Springs, and that the description, boundaries, courses and distances of said highways be according to an actual survey and map which has been made under their direction, and which is hereunto annexed.

Dated at East-Hampton, the 3d day of April, 1848.

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,
JONATHAN OSBORNE, Jr.
HENRY MULFORD.

Commissioners of highways.

Recorded April 4th, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Field Book of the survey of the foregoing highways.

Commencing on the east side of the Fireplace highway, at an angle in the ditch of Jonathan A. Parsons and running north $37\frac{1}{4}$ deg. east 3.38 chains, to north corner of J. A. Parsons' dooryard; thence south 78 east 1.67 chains to a stake opposite to and five links without north corner of J. A. Parsons' cow-house; thence south $65\frac{3}{4}$ deg. east 1.73 chains to east corner of another cow-house on the southeast end of

J. A. Parson's barn ; thence south $68\frac{1}{2}$ deg., east 2.29 chains to east end of J. A. Parsons' board fence at the edge of the upland ; thence south 40 deg., east 3.48 chains across creek and meadow to east corner of J. A. Parsons' lot adjoining highway ; thence north $20\frac{1}{4}$ deg. east 3.72 chains across end of highway to west end of D. D. Parsons' board fence adjoining the meadow ; thence north 47 deg. west 1.60 chains across meadow and creek to east end of Smith and Henry Miller's fence, at edge of upland ; thence north $63\frac{1}{4}$ deg., west 3.34 chains to angle in fence opposite to a graveyard ; thence north 59 deg., west 3.24 chains to an ancient stone at corner of ditch nearly opposite school house ; thence north 13 deg. west 2.12 chains to corner of Smith and Henry Miller's land adjoining Fireplace highway. thence south $23\frac{1}{2}$ deg. west 5.67 chains to place of beginning which includes 70 feet front of school-house lot, as marked on the map, which school lot is not included in the survey as highway.

Book K, page $28\frac{1}{2}$.—At the annual town meeting held in the town of East Hampton, on the 4th day of April, 1848, the town officers were elected, and the town laws were passed as follows :

David Baker was elected town clerk.

George L. Huntington, supervisor.

John C. Hedges, David Baker, justices of the peace.

Stephen L. Hedges, assessor.

Sylvanus M. Osborn, George Hand, overseers of the poor.

Samuel P. Osborn, collector.

Baldwin C. Talmage, commissioner of highways.

David B. V. Scoy, superintendent of common schools.

David Hedges, John T. Dayton, Samuel Miller, appointed, inspectors of election.

Samuel P. Osborn, Schuyler R. Conklin, constables.

George L. Baker, Hezekiah Edwards, Stephen L. Hedges, Schuyler R. Conklin, William Hedges, Lewis Edwards, John T. Dayton, Frederick King, Elias Parsons, Thomas T. Hedges, Thomas Osborn, Sylvanus M. Osborn, trustees.

Stephen Conklin, pound master.

David P. Sherman, Sylvester Fields, Hiram L. Sherry, Thomas J. Mulford, David D. Parsons, Thomas T. Hedges, Phineas Dickenson, James H. Topping, Edward Jones, Gordon Miller, George L. Miller, path masters.

Page 29.—Voted that the sum of twelve hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and two hundred and fifty dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted that the meadow grass and Jeremiah Loper Montauk be hired out this day as usual, &c.

Voted that any fence equal to two rails with posts that are three feet eight inches high in the clear, shall be considered a sufficient fence.

Voted that all sheep found grazing or running at large on any of the streets, highways, common lands or town commons of this town, at any time during the year ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such to pay twenty-five cents per head for every sheep so impounded, to be recovered with costs of suit in any court having cognizance thereof, by the person or persons impounding said sheep who shall be entitled to one half of the money when recovered, and the other half to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the benefit of this town's poor.

Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found, &c., as in 1847.

Voted that all yorses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague, or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town, at any time between the 6th day of

May next and the 12th day of September ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded (provided there be a sufficient fence), the owner of such horses or cattle to pay 50 cents per head for each horse or neat beast so impounded, the whole of the money to go to the person or persons impounding such horses or cattle.

Voted that the trustees manage the parsonage lands and affairs for the year ensuing.

Voted that no person be entitled to seaweed or drift in consequence of heaping it on any of the shores of this town.

Voted, that Messrs. David Huntting, Sylvanus M. Osborn, David Barns, Jeremiah Dayton, A. D. Candy, George Hand, and Lewis Edwards, be and they are hereby appointed a committee to procure or purchase a suitable place for a poor house for the accommodatian of this town's poor.

Voted, that the supervisor (pay to any person who shall bring him a fox or the skin thereof, and produce satisfactory evidence that the said fox was killed in this town the present year, commencing on the date of the annual town meeting) the sum of twenty-five cents for every young fox and fifty cents for every old fox so killed, the same to be paid out of any money belonging to the town in his hands not otherwise appropriated. Repealed.

Voted, that no person or persons shall rake, pick or gather any cranberries on any of the lands or meadows belonging to this town at any time before the 3d Monday of September next, at sunrise, every person so offending shall forfeit the sum of ten dollars for every such offense, and the further sum of four dollars per bushel, or at that rate for a smaller quantity for every bushel of cranberries so gathered, to be recovered with cost of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, which forfeiture, when so recovered, to belong to the person who shall prosecute for the same.

Voted, that no person or persons, not inhabitants of this

town shall be permitted to rake, pick or gather any cranberries or beach plums on any of the lands, beaches or meadows belonging to this town, and that every person so offending shall forfeit ten dollars for every such offense, and the further sum of four dollars per bushel, and at that rate for a less quantity of cranberries or beach plums so gathered, to be recovered, with cost of suit, before any court having cognizance thereof, which forfeiture, when recovered, to belong to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same.

Voted that no person shall be allowed to turn out or suffer any stone horse over one year old to run at large in this town at any time during the year ensuing, under penalty of ten dollars for every such offense.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday of April, 1849, to meet at the meeting house in this town at 1 o'clock, P. M.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

STEPHEN L. HEDGES,

SYLVANUS JONES.

Justices.

Book G, page 224.—At a meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of the town of East Hampton, in the county of Suffolk, held in said town on the seventeenth day of June, in the year 1848, all the said commissioners having met and deliberated on the subject of this order, it appearing to the said commissioners that the road in the said town used as a highway commonly known at the present time as Dayton's Lane, has been used as a public highway for twenty years, and upwards, next preceeding the twenty-first day of March, 1797, and which has been worked and used as such constantly for the last six years, but has not been recorded, it is ordered by the said commissioners that a part of the said road be ascertained, described and entered of

record: and the said commissioners do further order that the description, courses and distance of the said part of the said road be according to a survey which they have caused to be made of the same, a plot of which survey is hereunto annexed, and referred to in this order as follows:

Beginning at a stone at a corner called Giles' corner, on the said plot marked by the figure 1, running thence north 71 degrees east 4.60 chains, and passing near to a wind-mill now owned by David A. Hedges, to a stake and stones on the said plot marked by the figure 2, thence north 75 degrees east 12.31 chains to a stake and stones on the said plot marked by the figure 3, thence north $78\frac{1}{2}$ east $10.35\frac{1}{2}$ chains, passing the house of Capt. Edward M. Baker through a post at the north-east corner of a door-yard in front of the said house, and extending to a stone placed in the ground four links northerly from the north-east corner of a barn belonging to the said Edward M. Baker, on the said plot, marked by the figure 4; thence the survey is continued at a right angle with the last mentioned line across the road hereby in part ascertained, 1.97 chains to a stake and stones placed in the line of the land of David Baker, on the said plot marked by the figure 5, running thence south 70 deg., west in front of the house of the said David Baker, 3.68 chains, to a post in the fence, 16 links southerly from the southeast corner of the house of David A. Hedges, marked on the said plot by the figure 6, thence south $77\frac{1}{2}$ deg., west 3.49 chains to the corner of said David A. Hedges' land, marked on the said plot by the figure 7, thence south 80 deg. west 4.50 chains to a post fourteen links southerly from the southeast corner of the house of Henry D. Stratton. marked on the said plot by the figure 8, thence south $72\frac{1}{2}$ deg. west passing in front of the house of Jacob Hedges 7.02 chains to the corner of the said Jacob Hedges' land, near the blacksmiths shop of Sidney Stratton marked on the said plot by the figure 9, thence south

89½ deg. west 4.39 chains to a corner of the land of Stephen Hedges, commonly called Mill corner, marked on the said plot by the figure 10, thence this survey is continued across the road hereby in part ascertained, south 26½, deg. east 3.00 chains to the place of beginning, and that the said road be of different widths, according to the courses, distances and plot of the said survey.

In witness whereof we have hereunto placed our hands and seals this twenty-fourth day of June, 1848.

BALDWIN C. TALMAGE,
HENRY MULFORD,
JONATHAN OSBORN, JR.

Commissioners of Highways.

Recorded June 24th, 1848,

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Marks 113.—Isaac Edwards enters for his ear mark an ell under the right ear. Recorded May 2d, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

114.—David Talmage enters for his ear mark the three following, viz: a crop slit at the left ear, a crop slit at the right ear and a half penny under the left ear. Recorded June 2d, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Abraham Parsons enters for his ear mark a square crop at the left ear, a half penny each side of the same and a slope under the right ear. Recorded November 20th, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Oscar F. Bennett enters for his ear mark two nicks under each ear. Recorded November 24th, 1848.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

David Baker enters for his ear mark bought of Andrew Eldredge, son-in-law to David Baker, deceased, an ell under side of each ear and a half penny over the right ear. Said mark formerly used by David Baker, deceased, and given to Jonathan Baker by his father.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Book G, page 227.—At a meeting of the Commissioners of Highways of the town of East-Hampton, in the County of Suffolk, held in the said town at the office of the town clerk on the twenty-sixth day of December, in the year 1848, (all the said commissioners having met and deliberated on the subject of this order) it appearing to the said commissioners that a road in the said town used as a highway, and leading from Northwest to a turnpike, which is known as the East-Hampton and Sag-Harbor turnpike, has been used as a public highway, for twenty years and upwards, next preceeding the 21st. day of March, 1797, and has been worked and used as such constantly for the last six years but has not been recorded, it is ordered by the said commissioners, that a part of the said road be ascertained, described and entered of record.

And the said commissioners do further order that the description, courses and distances of the said part of the said road, be according to a survey which they have caused to be made of the same, a plot of which survey is hereunto annexed and referred to in this order as follows :

Beginning at a point where a certain highway leading from Powder Hill to Northwest creek, intersects the herein described highway, which point bears north $30\frac{1}{2}$ deg., east two rods distant from a marked black oak tree, standing on a turn in the ditch in the land of Stephen Ranger, and running thence south $80\frac{1}{2}$ deg. west 4.03 chains; thence

south 72 west 3.89 chains; thence south $52\frac{1}{2}$ west 2.38 chains; thence south $20\frac{1}{2}$ west 1.21 chains; thence south $3\frac{1}{2}$ west 3.39 chains; thence south $10\frac{1}{2}$ east 3.75 chains; thence south 23 east .93 chains to a place where a run of water crosses the herein described highway; thence south .23 east .66 chains; thence south 6 west 1.20 chains; thence south $22\frac{1}{2}$ west 2.39 chains; thence south $16\frac{1}{4}$ west 2.38 chains; thence south $32\frac{3}{4}$ west 4.44 chains; thence south 16 west 3.31 chains; thence south $31\frac{1}{2}$ west 2.45 chains; thence south $22\frac{1}{2}$ west 2.65 chains; thence south $16\frac{3}{4}$ west 5.81 to a point in the herein described highway bearing south 55 east and fifty five links distant from the easterly corner of the house of the herein before named Stephen Ranger; thence south 31 west 2.89 chains; thence south $12\frac{3}{4}$ west 3.42 chains; south 25 west 5.40 chains; thence south $22\frac{1}{2}$ west 2.34 chains; thence south 34 west 2 chains; thence south $12\frac{1}{2}$ west 3.64 chains; thence south $25\frac{3}{4}$ west 4.36 chains; thence south $6\frac{1}{2}$ west 3.19 chains; thence south 2 west 5.12 chains; thence south 3 west 5.48 chains; thence south $15\frac{3}{4}$ west 2.14 chains; thence south 23 west 2.43 chains to a point in the herein described highway, bearing north 67 west and $13\frac{1}{2}$ links from a marked pine tree standing near the place where another highway called two holes of water highway joins the herein described highway; thence south 23 west 3.23 chains; thence south $40\frac{3}{4}$ west 2 chains; thence south 71 west 1.48 chains; thence south 89 west 2.70 chains; thence south 71 west 2.68 chains; thence south $62\frac{1}{2}$ west 5 chains; thence south 81 west 3.15 chains; thence north $67\frac{1}{2}$ west 2 chains; thence north $81\frac{3}{4}$ west 6.33 chains; thence north $88\frac{1}{4}$ west 1.96 chains; thence north $59\frac{1}{2}$ west 4.80 chains; thence north 66 west 1.31 chains; thence north 61 west 2.31 chains; thence north $69\frac{1}{2}$ west 4.12 chains; thence north 78 west 2.37 chains; thence south $77\frac{1}{2}$ west 1.96 chains to a highway commonly called Edwards' Holeroad; and that the line of the

said survey be the centre of the herein described highway, and that the herein described highway be of the width of one chain or four rods.

In witness whereof we have hereunto placed our hands, this second day of January, in the year 1849.

BALDWIN C. TALMAGE,
HENRY MULFORD,
JONATHAN OSBORN, JR.,
Commissioners of Highways.

Recorded Jan. 4th, 1849,

DAVID RAKER, Town Clerk.

Marks, 114.—Edmund T. Strong enters for his ear mark an ell under the left ear. Recorded March 5th, 1849.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Book K, page 30½.—At the annual town meeting held in town of East-Hampton, on the 3d day of April 1849, the town officers were elected and the town laws were passed as follows:

David Baker, town clerk.

George L. Huntington, supervisor.

David B. V. Scoy, justice of the peace.

Stephen Ranger, assessor.

Sylvanus Parsons, Smith S. Miller, overseers of the poor.

Samuel P. Osborn, collector.

Jeremiah Hunting, commissioner of highways.

David Hedges, George N. Stratton, inspectors of election
1st. Dist.

Charles T. Dering, Wickham S. Havens, inspectors of
election for the second Dist.

Samuel B. Gardiner was appointed inspector of election for
the 1st. District and James Price for the second District.

Samuel P. Osborne, William Baker, constables.

Henry P. Miller, Aaron S. Conklin, Stephen Conklin, pound masters.

Sylvester D. Raneer, David P. Sherman, George Hand, Charles Osborne, Isaac King, Nathaniel S. Hand, Jeremiah L. Dayton, Elias M. Parsons, Hezekiah Edwards, Henry Nickerson, path masters.

Hiram L. Sherrill, Daniel Osborne, James P. Mulford, Jeremiah Huntting, George W. Huntting, Edmund Tillinghast, Jason M. Terbell, Talmage Barnes, Marcus B. Hand, Isaac Edwards, John E. Parsons, Abraham V. Scoy, trustees.

Voted that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars be raised for the support of the poor, and one hundred and twenty dollars for the contingent expenses of this town for the year ensuing.

Voted that the meadow grass and the Jeremiah Loper Montauk be hired out this day at auction and the money arising for the hire of the grass be paid to the supervisor, and that for the Montauk to the overseers of the poor, before the 1st day of September next.

Voted that any fence equal to two rails with posts that are three feet eight inches high in the clear shall be considered a sufficient fence.

Voted that the same number of pews and slips, etc., as in 1846.

Voted that all sheep found grazing or running at large on any of the streets, highways, common lands or town commons of this town at any time during the year ensuing shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of such sheep to pay 25 cents per head for every sheep so impounded to be recovered with cost of suit in any court having cognizance thereof, by the person or persons impounding such sheep who shall be entitled to one half of the money when recovered, and the other half to be paid to the overseers of the poor for the benefit of this town's poor.

Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found running at large on the commons of this town from the time they are brought from Montauk in the fall until they go on again in the spring shall be liable to be impounded, the owner or owners of all such horses or cattle to pay one dollar per head to be recovered with cost of suit by the supervisor, the one half of the money to be paid to the complainant and the other half to the overseers of the poor for the benefit of the town poor.

Voted that all horses or neat cattle that shall be found grazing or running at large on Napeague or any of the beaches on the south side from the hither end of Montauk to the western bounds of this town at any time between the 6th day of May next and the 12th day of September ensuing, shall be liable to be impounded, provided there be a sufficient fence, the owners of such horses or cattle to pay 50 cents per head for each horse or neat beast so impounded, the whole of the money to go to the person or persons impounding such horses or cattle.

Voted that no persons shall be entitled to seaweed or drift in consequence of heaping it on any of the shores of this town.

Voted that no person or persons shall rake, pick or gather any cranberries on any of the lands or meadows belonging to this town at any time before the second Monday of September next, at sunrise, and that every person so offending shall forfeit the sum of ten dollars for every such offence, and the further sum four dollars per bushel, or at that rate, for a smaller quantity, for all cranberries so gathered, to be recovered with cost of suit before any court having cognizance thereof which forfeiture when so recovered to belong to the person who shall prosecute for the same, and the Trustees of the town be particularly instructed to carry this motion into effect.

Voted that no person or persons not inhabitants of this

town shall be permitted to rake, pick or gather any cranberries or beach plums on any of the lands, beaches or meadows belonging to this town, and that every person so offending shall forfeit ten dollars for every such offense and the further sum of four dollars per bushel, and at that rate for a less quantity of cranberries or beach plums so gathered, to be recovered with cost of suit before any court having cognizance thereof, which forfeiture when recovered to belong to the person or persons who shall prosecute for the same.

Voted that no person shall be allowed to turn out or allow any stone horse over one year old to run at large in this town at any time during the year ensuing, under penalty of ten dollars for every such offence.

Voted that overseers of the poor be authorized to purchase a suitable place for the accommodation of the town's poor, and to collect the debts due the town and appropriate the money towards the payment thereof and to hire more money on the towns credit if necessary in order to pay the whole purchase.

Adjourned to the first Tuesday of April, A. D., 1850, at 1 o'clock P. M.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,

STEPHEN L. HEDGES,

JOHN C. HEDGES,

Justices.

At a special town meeting called by the Town Clerk for the purpose of electing an overseer of the poor, and held pursuant to special notice at the meeting house in the town of East-Hampton on the 26th day of April, 1849, John T. Dayton was elected overseer of poor.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

JOSIAH C. DAYTON,

STEPHEN L. HEDGES,

JOHN C. HEDGES,

Justices.

Marks, 114.—George Osborn enters for his ear mark a square U or hole in the right ear and a slit in the left, Recorded June 7th, 1849,

DAVID BAKER, Clerk.

115—Edmund Mulford of Amagansett enters for his ear mark a cropped ell under the right and a slope under the left ear. Recorded August 20th, 1849.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.

Book E, page 109.—Taken up by Thomas Edwards of East Hampton, December 4th, 1849, a red yearling heifer with a white spot in the forehead and some white at the end of the tail. Ear mark as follows: a crop and a slit at the right and a nick under the left ear. Recorded Dec. 4, 1849.

DAVID BAKER, Town Clerk.





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"	Ichabod	"	Ichabad,	" 29,	11th	"	"
"	Terry	"	Penny,	" 95,	19th	"	"
"	Four	"	five,	" 96,	16th	"	"
"	1816	"	1316,	" 403,	24th	"	"
"	Pantago	"	Dayton's,	" 571,	26th	"	"

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